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The Synod of South Carolina met according to adjournment, and was called to order by the Rev. Dr. James Woodrow, the last Moderator present, who led in prayer and preached the opening sermon.

At the conclusion of public worship the roll was called, and the following members were present:

BETHEL PRESBYTERY.

Ministers.—W. M. McPheeters, W. G. Neville, M. R. Kirkpatrick, Jas. Russell, W, T. Hall, W. A. Haffner, J. T. Dendy (2), W. B. Arrowood, C. G. Brown (2), W. L. Lingle, S. C. Byrd, J. R. Millard.

Elders.—J. B. Faries, Bethel Church; J. D. McConnell (2), Bethesda; R. T. Gillespie (2), Ebenezer; J. C. Foster, Lancaster; W. E. Wilds (2), Longtown; J. E. Sowell, McBee; W. B. Love (2), Olivet; W. D. Knox, Purity; E. B. Mobley, Rock Hill 1st; A. S. Douglas (2), Scion; T. B. Craig, Tirzah; J. D. Smith, White Oak; J. F. Hart (2), Yorkville; J. B. Douglas, Ruby.

CHARLESTON PRESBYTERY.

Ministers.—G. A. Blackburn (2), J. W. Flinn (2), J. L. McLees (2), S. M. Smith, Alexander Sprunt, T. B. Trenholm (2), F. D. Jones, Alexander Martin, H. A. White, J. K. G. Frasier, D. M. McIver, S. C. Caldwell.

Elders.—B. F. Wyman, Aiken Church; Jno. Paul, 1st Charleston; James Allan, 2nd Charleston; J. C. Scott, Westminster.

ENOREE PRESBYTERY.

Ministers—A. A. James, T. H. Law, W. P. Jacobs (2),

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J. S. Watkins (2), Robt. Adams, G. G. Mayes, W. R. Potter, B. P. Reid, T. W. Sloan, J. F. Jacobs (3).

Elders.—J. E. Colton, Union 1st Church.

HARMONY PRESBYTERY.

Ministers.—James McDowell, W. W. Mills, J. E. Dunlop, W. J. McKay, V. R. Gaston (2), Robt. Bradley (2), W. W. Sadler, W. S. Porter, A. M. McNaull, J. E. Stevenson, K. McCaskill.

Elders.—M. K. Yarboro, Bethune Church; R. C. McCutchen, Bishopville; E. E. Dickson (2), Manning; J. S. Evans (2), Midway, John Montgomery, Mt. Zion; A. P. McCaskill, Pinetree; H. J. McLaurin, Sumter; W. D. Bryan (2), Union.

PEE DEE PRESBYTERY.

Ministers.—J. G. Richards, A. H. McArn, D. M. Fulton. E. C. Bailey, J. A. Wilson, Melton Clark, F. A. Drennan, C, E. Robertson (2), H. M. Dixon, J. P. Marion, Jr.

Elders.—J. N. Drake, Blenheim Church; M. D. Morrison, Carolina; D. S. Matheson, Cheraw; J. J. James, Darlington; W. H. Breeden (3), Dunbarton; E. W. Cannon, (2), Hartsville; W. M. Gregg, Hopewell; D. T. McNeill, Kingston; J. D. McLucas (3), Marion; D. M. Chapman, Orange Hill; John McSween, Timmonsville.

SOUTH CAROLINA PRESBYTERY.

Ministers.—James Woodrow, J. L. Williamson, T. P. Burgess, W. J. Wyly, S. J. Cartlege, H. R. Murchison, R. G. McLees, F. H. Wardlaw, J. G. Law (2).

Elders.—J. M. Harden, Abbeville Church; J. B. Townsend (2), Anderson 1st; L. M. Speers, Aveleigh; G. T. Reid (2), Morris.

Rev. Robert Adams was elected Moderator, and Rev. F. H. Wardlaw Assistant Clerk.

Rev. Dr. T. H. Rice, Synod of Georgia, was welcomed as a corresponding member.

The following were adopted as the hours for the daily sessions of Synod:

From 9 : 30 a. m. to 1 p. m.; from 3 : 30 p. m. to 5 : 30 p. m.; from 8 p. m. to adjournment at will.

It was made the order for 8 o'clock this evening to hear

the report of the Committee on Foreign Missions and an address from Dr. J. R. Wilkinson, our medical missionary in China; for to-morrow at 8 p. m. to hear a sermon from Rev. Dr. Henry Alexander White; and for to-morrow at 11 a. m., to consider the subject of Home Missions.

Rev. W. L. Wait, M. E. Church South, was introduced and welcomed as a visiting brother.

Synod took recess till 3 : 30 p. m.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

3 : 30 p. m.

Synod resumed business; and on motion, it was made the order for 11 a. m. Thursday, to hear President H. L. Smith of Davidson College, on Christian Education.

The Moderator announced the following

STANDING COMMITTEES.

1. *Devotional Exercises.*—Minister: A. H. McArn. Elder: D. S. Matheson.

2. *Bills and Overtures.*—Ministers: James Woodrow, H. A. White. Elder: E. B. Mobley.

3. *Judicial Business.*—Ministers: S. M. Smith, T. W. Sloan. Elders: B. F. Wyman.

4. *Home Missions.*—Ministers: W. B. Arrowood, G. G. Mayes. Elder: H. J. McLaurin.

5. *Narrative.*—Ministers: Jas. McDowell, M. R. Kirkpatrick. Elder: J. J. James.

6. *Theological Seminary.*—Ministers: A. A. James, W. G. Neville. Elder: J. C. Scott.

7. *Finance.*—Elders: L. M. Spears, J. E. Colton, Jno. McSween.

8. *Minutes of Assembly.*—Ministers: B. P. Reid, W. M. McPheeters. Elder: Jas. Allan.

9. *Leave of Absence.*—Ministers: J. G. Richards, J. E. Stevenson. Elder: J. C. Foster.

10. *Presbyterial Records*—

(1) BETHEL—F. D. Jones, Jno. Paul.
(2) CHARLESTON—W. R. Potter, T. B. Craig.
(3) ENOREE—E. C. Bailey, W. D. Knox.
(4) Harmony—W. J. Wyly, J. D. Douglass.
(5) PEE DEE—W. W. Sadler, Jno. Montgomery.
(6) SOUTH CAROLINA—S. C. Caldwell, M. K. Yarboro.

An Overture from representatives of the Synod of Georgia, touching the establishment of a university in the city of Atlanta, was received and referred to the Committee on Bills and Overtures.

A communication from Rev. Dr. H. C. DuBose, of China, was referred to the Committee on Foreign Missions.

The Narratives and Statistical Reports of the several Presbyteries were heard; the former being referred to the Committee on the Narrative, and the latter appearing in the Appendix.

It was announced to Synod by the Stated Clerk of South Carolina Presbytery that this Presbytery had, last year, withdrawn its co-operation with the Synod's Executive Committee on Home Missions; which information was referred to the Standing Committee on Home Missions.

Elder R. C. McCutchen, Bishopville Church, Harmony Presbytery, appeared and was enrolled.

The report of the Executive Committee of Home Missions was read and referred to the Standing Committee.

The report of the Treasurer of Synod was read and referred to the Committee on Finance.

The report of the Board of Directors of the Theological Seminary was read and referred to the Standing Committee on the same.

The report of the Permanent Committee on Education for the Ministry was presented, and pending its consideration the hour for recess arrived, and Synod suspended its further consideration till to-morrow.

Rev. Dr. T. H. Rice was appointed to preach Thursday at 7: 30 p. m., on recommendation of the Committee on Devotional Exercises.

Synod took recess till 8 p. m.

EVENING SESSION.

8 p. m.

Upon the re-assembling of Synod, the Moderator requested Rev. Dr. H. A. White to preside at this evening's exercises, and he took the Chair and conducted devotional exercises.

Rev. Robert Adams, Chairman, presented the report of the Permanent Committee on Foreign Missions, which was considered and approved, and will be found in the Appendix.

Dr. J. R. Wilkinson, medical missionary at Soo-chow, China, then addressed Synod concerning his work as physician in charge of the Elizabeth Blake Hospital in that city.

Rev. Robt. Adams presented the following, which was adopted unanimously by a rising vote:

Resolved, that Synod express its thanks to Dr. J. R. Wilkinson for his interesting and forcible address, and assure him of the sympathy and prayers of his brethren as he is about to return to his work in China.

At the request of Rev. Melton Clark, Chairman, it was made the order for 4 p. m. to-morrow to consider the cause of Ministerial Relief.

The following members appeared and were enrolled:

Ministers: S. J. Cartledge and J. P. Marion, Jr.

Elders: J. N. Drake, Blenheim Church, Pee Dee Presbytery, and J. D. Smith, White Oak Church, Bethel Presbytery.

Synod then adjourned with prayer by the Rev. A. A. James.

SECOND DAY—MORNING SESSION.

Wednesday, Oct. 21, 9:30 a. m.

Synod was opened with devotional exercises conducted by Rev. Dr. W. T. Hall.

The Minutes of yesterday were read and approved.

The following additional members appeared and were enrolled:

Ministers.—C. G. Brown, J. L. McLees, J. G. Law,

Robt. Bradley, J. S. Watkins, W. P. Jacobs, J. W. Flinn, and G. A. Blackburn.

Elders.—A. S. Douglass, Scion Church; W. E. Wilds, Longtown; J. D. McConnell, Bethesda; R. T. Gillespie, Ebenezer; J. F. Hart, Yorkville; W. B. Love, Olivet; all of Bethel Presbytery; E. E. Dickson, Manning, Harmony Presbytery; G. T. Reid, Morris, and J. B. Townsend, Anderson, First, South Carolina Presbytery.

The Moderator announced the following committees to bring in memorials of deceased brethren: Of Rev. G. R. Brackett, D. D., Rev. J. W. Flinn, D. D.; Rev. H. G. Gilland, Rev. G. A. Blackburn.

And it was made the order for tomorrow evening after preaching to hear these memorials.

The order for hearing Dr. H. L. Smith on Christian Education, was, on motion, changed to this evening, after the preaching service.

The report of the Permanent Committee on Publication and Sabbath School Work was presented; the report was approved and the diligence of the committee was commended.

The report of the Permanent Committee on the Bible Cause was presented; and the recommendations were adopted and the report approved.

Rev. W. G. Neville, Chairman, presented the report of the Committee on the 20th Century Fund, which report was approved and the recommendations adopted. The same committee was continued. The report is as follows:

Your committee begs leave to report that an effort was made just after the last meeting of Synod to place a general agent in the field to work for this fund; but the brother whom we elected declined to accept our call. Then after canvassing the whole subject again, we thought best not to put an agent in the field.

Some work, however, has been done in the way of increasing the subscriptions and gifts to this fund.

The most of the work done during the last Synodical year has been along the line of collecting subscriptions as they fall due. We have been reasonably successful in this work. It has involved a great deal of correspondence on the

part of the committee. The great majority of the subscriptions that are due have been paid.

The Synod at its last meeting placed the Ferguson-Williams Institute on tne roll of beneficiaries of the 20th Century Fund with a view of liquidating the debt of $1,000 which the Synod owes on the Ferguson-Williams Institute at Abbeville. Your committee apportioned the $1,000 among the Presbyteries of Synod and asked each Presbytery to assume its part of the debt. This was done by each Presbytery in the Synod. We have received in all for this fund $177.63, distributed as follows: $151.12 from 23 churches in Bethel Presbytery; $2.75 from three churches in Charleston Presbytery; nothing from Enoree Presbytery; nothing from Harmony Presbytery; $22.76 from three churches in Pee Dee Presbytery; $1.00 from one church in South Carolina Presbytery.

The following table will show the financial condition of this fund and the work that has been done along this line during the past year:

On hand last Synod	$ 886 94
Collected since last Synod	2,922 45
	$3,809 39

DISBURSEMENTS.

Presbyterian College for Women	$ 138 33
Thornwell Orphanage	92 50
Davidson College	193 04
Presbyterian College of South Carolina	1,500 00
Dr. Thornwell (special for Presbyterian College of South Carolina)	10 00
Clerical help for the Chairman	100 00
Circulars	3 00
Total	$2,036 87

This leaves in the treasury at this time $1,772.52.

Your committee would recommend:

1. That this work be continued for the next year.

2. That the churches which have paid nothing towards the liquidation of the debt on the Ferguson-Williams Institute be urged to pay their assessments on this cause as soon as possible.

Respectfully submitted,

W. G. NEVILLE, Chairman.

The report of the Board of Visitors of Thornwell Orphanage was read and received as information.

Rev. E. E. Gillespie, Synod of North Carolina, and Rev. W. M. Anderson, D. D., Synod of Tennessee, were welcomed as corresponding members.

The unfinished business was suspended to take up the order for 11 o'clock, and the Rev. E. E. Gillespie, Superintendent of Home Missions in the Synod of North Carolina, was invited to address Synod on Home Missions, especially as conducted by his Synod.

The Standing Committee on Home Missions made its report, pending a motion to adopt, Rev. E. E. Gillespie was heard ; whereupon Synod, by a rising vote, extended its sincere thanks to him for his most interesting, instructive and helpful address. The consideration of the report was continued until the hour for recess.

The time was extended for a few minutes to hear the report of the Committee on Bills and Overtures, which was adopted as follows :

The Committee on Bills and Overtures respectfully reports that it has had referred to it the following Overture :

"To the Synods of Tennessee, Louisiana, Mississippi, Alabama, South Carolina and Florida :

"Fathers and Brethren—The undersigned were appointed by the Synod of Georgia, at its session in 1901, a Board of Trustees, to establish a male college within the bounds of Synod.

"While taking the first steps towards carrying out the order of Synod, it came to our ears that a combination of Southwestern Presbyterian University and Columbia Theological Seminary, as a University, to be located in Atlanta, might be effected, provided Atlanta Presbyterians would raise $250,000 for housing the proposed institution.

"Immediately we made known to Synod what we had heard.

"Synod promptly decided such a plan to be desirable if feasible, and ordered us as a Board to pause in our work, until it could be ascertained if Atlanta would raise this amount.

"This action was taken at a called meeting of Synod in May, 1902.

"At the regular session of Synod, November, 1902, the same action was taken, only the 1st of April, 1903, was set as a limit, after which, should the plan fail, we were to go ahead in our efforts to establish a synodical college.

"As is well known, the Presbyterians of Atlanta, assisted by the citizens generally, were successful in securing bona fide subscriptions for the amount named, and the committee having the matter in charge so informed our Board. This committee consisted of T. H. Rice, S. M. Inman, J. R. Gray, J. K. Orr, Hoke Smith and Joel Hurt, to whom all subscriptions were made payable as trustees.

"Acting in the name of the Synod of Georgia, and after mature considerarion, we hereby overture your venerable bodies, each of you respectively, to appoint two ministers and one ruling elder as your representatives, to meet in the Central Church in Atlanta December 8, 1903, 7:30 p. m., in an Educational Conference of Synods, in order that a conclusion may be reached, (1) as to the feasibility of the combination of the two named institutions, and (2) as to the plan by which such combination may be arrived at, if found feasible, the report of this conference to be made to adjourned meetings of the Synods, in January, 1904.

"To this Overture we invoke your prayerful consideration, and we earnestly bespeak your favorable action thereon.

"Respectfully,

"Board of Trustees of the Synod of Georgia for Establishing a College.

"J. W. Walden, Chairman,
"C. C. Carson,
"L. G. Henderson,
"D. W. Brannen,
"C. D. Montgomery,
"B. I. Hughes."

The committee recommends:

1. That the representative of the Synod of Georgia, the Rev. Dr. J. W. Walden, and the representative of the city of Atlanta, the Rev. Dr. T. H. Rice, be invited now to address the Synod with reference to the subject matter of the Overture.

2. That after full consideration by this Synod, such action may be taken as to it may seem best.

JAMES WOODROW, Chairman,
H. A. WHITE,
E. B. MOBLEY.

Synod took recess till 3:30 p. m.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

3:30 p. m.

The Synod resumed business.

The following additional members appeared and were enrolled: Ministers.—T. B. Trenholm, C. E. Robertson and V. R. Gaston; Elders.—W. D. Bryan, Union Church, and J. S. Evans, Midway Church, Harmony Presbytery; E. W. Cannon, Hartsville Church, Pee Dee Presbytery.

Rev. J. W. Walden, D. D., Synod of Georgia, was welcomed as a corresponding member.

On motion, the hearing of Rev. Drs. Walden and Rice was postponed until the consideration of the report on Home Missions should be concluded. The report as amended, was adopted, as follows:

The Standing Committee on Home Missions would respectfully report that:

We have considered the report of the Executive Committee, and would record our appreciation of the faithfulness of this committee in accomplishing so much with the limited means put into their hands. We would especially commend the Chairman, Dr. Sprunt, for his untiring zeal and devotion to this work under great difficulties.

We recommend:

1. That the following committee be elected for the next year: Rev. Alexander Sprunt, Chairman, Rev. Chalmers Fraser, Elder G. H. O'Leary, Rev. F. D. Jones, Elder W. A. Clark, Rev. N. W. Edmunds, Rev. W. J. McKay, Rev. Robert Adams, Elder C. E. Graham, Rev. D. M. Fulton and Elder John McSween.

2. That the Synod elect a Superintendent of Synodical Home Missions whose duty it shall be to take general supervision of the work, under the direction of the committee; and we nominate Rev. F. H. Wardlaw for this office.

3. That the Synod elect a general Evangelist whose field of labor shall be the cooperating Presbyteries of the Synod under the direction of the committee, and we nominate for this office Rev. R. G. McLees.

4. That the salaries of the Superintendent and General Evangelist be $600.00 and incidental expenses guaranteed, with the promise of $1,000 each, if the financial results of their work justify it, as we hope and believe will be the case.

5. That the Synod attempt to raise the sum of $5,000 for the prosecution of this work, and that this amount be apportioned among the co-operating Presbyteries.

6. That the month of February be set apart for collections for this cause, and that all our pastors be urged to pre-

sent the facts, and an honest, earnest effort be made to raise the apportionments of the Presbyteries in full.

7. That all our Presbyteries be entreated to co-operate, and thus rally to the aid of the Synod in its effort to overtake the spiritual destitution in all parts of our beloved State.

8. That the necessary expenses of the committee in the prosecution of their work be paid by the Synod.

9. That a commission be appointed to prosecute before the South Carolina Presbytery the call for the services of Rev. Messrs. Wardlaw and McLees as provided for in this report; and that the Executive Committee be authorized to elect another Superintendent and Evangelist in case either of these brethren decline.

W. B. ARROWOOD, Chairman.

Maj. J. F. Hart offered the following, which was adopted:

Resolved, That the Executive Committee be instructed to publish the resolutions of the Report of the Committee of Home Missions, together with an address calling upon the several churches in the Synod to uphold and co-operate with the committee in this work.

The order for 4 o'clock, to consider the cause of Ministerial Relief, was, on motion, postponed and fixed for 10. a m. tomorrow.

It was made the order for 11 a. m. tomorrow to hear the Rev. Dr. W. M. Anderson, the representative of the Assembly's Committee of Foreign Missions.

Synod then heard Rev. Drs. Walden and Rice in advocacy of the request of the overture from the Trustees of the Synod of Georgia, to appoint members of a joint committee to meet in Atlanta and confer about establishing a university in that city.

Rev. W. G. Neville moved that the Synod appoint the committee asked for. But before its consideration, the matter was deferred, and was made the third order for tomorrow.

The unfinished business was taken up, and the report of the Committee on Education for the ministry was further considered and amended and approved, (See Appendix.)

Synod receded from business till 8 p. m.

EVENING SESSION.

8 p. m.

At this evening's session Rev. Dr. Henry Alexander White preached.

And following the preaching service Dr. H. L. Smith spoke on Christian Education as illustrated in Davidson College.

Rev. W. J. McKay presented the following, which was adopted:

Resolved 1st. That the Synod hereby tenders to Dr. Henry L. Smith, President of Davidson College, its sincere thanks for his very interesting address.

2d. That the Synod is deeply grateful at the abundant evidence of the steadily increasing efficiency and usefulness of this honored institution with whose interests we are so closely and directly concerned.

3rd. That the Synod hereby renews to Dr. Smith its pledge of profound interest in the noble institution he represents and cordially commends him and his work in its behalf to the constituency of this body.

The Committee on Judicial Business reported that nothing had come into its hands and the committee was discharged.

The First Church, Clinton, and Tuesday, October 18th, 7:30 p. m. were chosen as the place and time of the next meeting.

Synod adjourned with prayer by Rev. W. L. Lingle.

THIRD DAY—MORNING SESSION.

Thursday, Oct. 22, 9:30 a. m.

Synod was opened with devotional exercises, conducted by Rev. Dr. W. P. Jacobs.

The minutes of yesterday were read and approved.

The Permanent Committee on Colored Evangelisation presented its report, which was approved. (Appendix.)

The Committees on the Records of Charleston, Enoree,

Harmony, Pee Dee, Bethel and South Carolina Presbyteries, reported, recommending their approval. Adopted.

The Committee on the Theological Seminary presented a report which was adopted as follows:

The Standing Committee to which was referred the annual report of the Board of Directors of the Columbia Theological Seminary, respectfully report:

We recommend the following resolutions.

1. That the records of the Board which have been placed in our hands, show that the members of the Board have been diligent in the discharge of their duty, and be approved.
2. That we express our gratitude that the finances of the institution have been so managed as to keep the expenses of the institution within its income.
3. That we invoke the cordial support of our entire constituency.
4. That the Synod re-appoint Rev. W. J. Neville and Rev. J. G. Richards as directors for a term of three years.

A. A. JAMES, Chairman.

The Committee on Finance presented the following report, which was adopted:

The Committee on Finance respectfully report that they have examined the Accounts of the Treasurer of Synod, and find same correct and properly vouched for.

The Committee recommend that the following assessments be made on the Presbyteries for the coming year, viz.

Bethel	$ 55 00
Charleston	40 00
Enoree	50 00
Harmony	30 00
South Carolina	50 00
Pee Dee	20 00

Respectfully submitted,

L. M. Speers, Chairman.

The Committee presented and Synod adopted the following narrative:

Your Committee have received written reports from all six of our Presbyteries and from these we learn,

1. That the attendance upon public worship is good.
2. That family worship is sadly neglected.

3. The observance of the Sabbath is reported as being on the whole reasonably good.

4. Sabbath Schools are doing good work in the spiritual training of the children, but home instruction is sadly neglected in many families.

5. There seems to be a marked improvement in the liberality of God's people, in worshiping the Lord with their susbstance.

6. The salaries of nearly all our pastors are fully paid.

7. While there have not been many instances of the outpouring of God's Holy Spirit, yet our churches seem to be generally, in a healthful spiritual condition.

8. Worldly conformity does not seem greatly to prevail.

9. Our churches, it seems, are doing but little Evangelistic work outside of their bounds.

10. Finally, we have reason to "thank God and take courage," while we have much cause for humiliation for our shortcomings, and should earnestly pray for more consecration and zeal in the Lord's service.

JAMES MCDOWELL, Chairman.

The report of the Presbyterian College at Clinton, was read and received as information. (Appendix.)

The reports of the Permanent Committee on Ministerial Relief, and of the Society for the Relief of Indigent and Superannuated Ministers of the Presbyterian Church and their Families were presented, and the whole subject was discussed at some length. The first report was approved, and its recommendations adopted. (Appendix.) The second also appears in the Appendix.

Rev. J. G. Snedecor, Synod of Alabama, and Rev. W. R. Coppedge, Synod of North Carolina, were invited and welcomed as Corresponding Members.

It was resolved to hear Rev. J. G. Snedecor, Secretary of Colored Evangelization, concerning that cause, immediately after hearing Dr. Anderson on Foreign Missions.

Rev. Dr. W. M. Anderson, of the Assembly's Committee, was heard on Foreign Missions, and Rev. Rev. J. G. Snedecor, Assembly's Secretary of Colored Evangelisation on this cause.

By a rising vote, the thanks of Synod were extended to these Brethren for their interesting addresses.

Rev. J. F. Jacobs appeared and was enrolled.

Rev. J. F. Matheson, Synod of Baltimore, was welcomed as a Corresponding Member.

The third order of the day, viz., the consideration of the request from the Board of Trustees of the Synod of Georgia for establishing a College, to appoint a Committee to confer with others from other Synods, was taken up and discussed until the hour for recess.

Elders J. D. McLucas, Marion and W. H. Breeden, Dunbarton Churches, Pee Dee Presbytery appeared, and were enled.

Synod receded from business till 3:30 p. m.

AFTERNOON SESSION. 3:30 P. M.

Upon resuming business, Synod heard the Report of the Committee on Minutes of the Assembly, which was adopted as follows:

To some items in the Assembly's Minutes, attention has already been called in the Reports on Foreign Missions, Bible Society, Publication and Sabbath School work and Colored Evangelization.

In addition, we call attention to the following:

1. It would be a great convenience to the Church to publish the names and addresses of Clerks of Sessions in Assembly's Minutes, which overture was declined.

2. On page 469, the second Sabbath in September has been set apart as a day of prayer for Public Schools.

3. Replying to the Alliance, asking for a strong injunction, forbidding Ministers to marry divorced persons, the Assembly strongly disapproved the marriage of divorced persons for reasons not scriptural. (page 469.)

4. The recommendation of the Assembly, page 479, as to a representative conference on the part of our Theolgical Seminaries.

We find nothing calling for further action by the Synod. B. P. REID, Chairman.

Rev. W. S. Porter, Moderator of Harmony Presbytery, asked that Synod order this Presbytery to meet, that it may

attend to necessary business which has arisen since its adjournment yesterday. The Presbytery was ordered to meet on the call of the Moderator.

The unfinished business—the consideration of the overture from the Synod of Georgia, was resumed. Pending its consideration, the hour for recesss arrived and Synod receded from business till 7:30 p. m.

EVENING SESSION. 7:30 P. M.

The Synod heard a sermon from the Rev. T. H. Rice, D. D., who preached to a large congregation uniting with the Synod in worship.

At the conclusion of the services the unfinished businesss was taken up and the discussion was specially upon a substitute for the original motion, which respectfully declines to appoint the Committee requested. The substitute was lost. The original resolution was then amended and adopted as follows :

Resolved that Synod appoint the Committee requested in the overture.

At the same time, in order to be clearly understood in the premises, the Synod wishes to put formerly on record the fact that this action is not to be construed as in any sense a committal (either pro or con) to the pro position.

It was further resolved that the report of this Committee be made to the stated meeting of Synod next October.

The following were elected the Committee of Conference on the part of this Synod :

Rev. W. G. Neville, Rev. W. J. McKay, D. D., and El- W. F. Stevenson ; with Rev. W. L. Lingle, Rev. J. W Flinn, D. D., and Elder W. A. Clark, alternates of the members in the order named.

The Select Committee on a Sunday School Institute, appointed two years ago, was at its own request, discharged.

The Committee of Leave of Absence made the following report, which was approved :

The Committee on Leave of Absence would report:

1. That quite a number of brethren have come in late, and rendered satisfactory excuses for tardiness.

2. That Drs. J. H. Thornwell and R. H. Hall have given satisfactory reasons for not attending the meeting of Synod.

3. That the following named brethren have been granted leave of absence:

Dr. Sprunt and Elder D. T. McNeill after Wednesday's session.

J. N. Drake on Thursday morning.

J. S. Evans, Rev. T. W. Sloan, J. C. Scott, H. J. McLaurin, A. S. Douglas, Rev. A. A. James, W. D. Knox, B. P. Reid, J. B. Townsend, J. D. Smith, R. T. Gillespie, and A. M. McNaull, after this afternoon's session.

J. G. RICHARDS.

On motion, the reading of the Memorials of deceased brethren was postponed until the next meeting; and it was resolved that they be heard in connection with the opening sermon of next Synod.

The following was adopted by a rising and unanimous vote:

Resolved, that the Synod extends its most hearty thanks to the good people of Cheraw, who have so cordially welcomed us to their homes, and have so generously and delightfully entertained us during the sessions of the body.

We also gratefully recognize the favor of reduced rates granted by the Railroad Companies to the members attending.

The Minutes of today were read and approved.

The Synod returned thanks to the Moderator and Clerks for their efficiency.

Synod then adjourned with singing and prayer and the Apostolic benediction, to meet in the First Church, Clinton, Oct. 18, 7:30 p. m., 1904.

ROBERT ADAMS, Moderator.

T. H. LAW, Stated Clerk.

T. H. WHRDLAW, Assistant Clerk.

APPENDIX.

1

Statistical Reports of Presbyteries.

BETHEL PRESBYTERY—Respectfully reports to Synod that it is composed of twenty-six ministers and fifty-seven churches.

It has under its care four licentiates and four candidates for the ministry.

It has received since the last meeting of Synod, S. C. Byrd from the Presbytery of Charleston, and J. R. Millard, from the Presbytery of King's Mountain and has installed the former pastor of Sion Church, Winnsboro, and the latter pastor of Lebanon, Salem and Union Churches.

It has organized two new churches in Chesterfield county—one at Ruby and the other at Rocky Creek Chapel.

It has dissolved Flint Hill church.

It has licensed T. H. Spence, J. B. Meacham, J. J. and L. W. Brown as probationers for the Gospel Ministry.

It has dissolved the pastoral relation existing between D. N. McLauchlin and Purity church, Chester.

It has dismissed S. C. Caldwell to the Presbytery of Charleston, J. P. Marion to the Presbytery of Louisiana and D. N. McLauchlin to the Presbytery of North Alabama.

WM. G. NEVILLE, Stated Clerk.

CHARLESTON PRESBYTERY—Respectfully reports to the Synod that it consists of eighteen ministers and thirty-two churches, and has under its care one licentiate and six candidates for the Gospel Ministry.

It has received since the last meeting of Synod, Rev. S. C. Caldwell from Bethel Presbytery, Rev. D. M. McIver from Asheville Presbytery, Rev. J. Kier G. Fraser from Mecklenburg Presbytery, Rev. W. H. Mills from Harmony Presbytery.

And it has taken under its care Mr. L. T. Wilds, Jr., as a candidate for the Ministry.

It has dismissed Rev. Dr. S. S. Laws to Chesapeake Presbytery ; Rev. S. C. Byrd to Bethel Presbytery ; Rev. R. P. Walker to Indian Presbytery ; and Rev. Bunyan McLeod to Pee Dee Presbytery.

It has dissolved the Fourth Church, Charleston, S. C.

It has constituted the pastoral relation between Rev. S. C. Caldwell and Walterboro, Corinth and Stony Creek churches ; between Rev. D. M. McIver and Westminster ; and between Rev. J. Kier G. Fraser and the Second Church, Charleston S. C.

It has lost by death Rev. G. R. Brackett, D. D., and Rev. H. G. Gilland.

Alexander Sprunt, Stated Clerk.

Enoree Presbytery—Respectfully reports to Synod that it has on its roll thirty-four ministers, fifty-seven churches, one licentiate and seven candidates for the ministry.

Since the last Synod it has received Rev. R. P. Pell from S. C. Presbytery, Rev. M. G. Woodworth from St. John's Presbytery, Rev. J. F. Pharr from Concord Presbytery and has ordained to the full work of the ministry Licentiate J. Fairman Preston as an evangelist for the Foreign service, to labor under appointment of our Executive Committe of Foreign Missions in Korea, whither he has gone. It has also licensed candidate J. D. Henery to preach the gospel and dimsissed him to the care of the Montgomery Presbytery ; has received Mr. John W. Carpenter as a candidate for the ministry and has dismissed candidate J. B. Carpenter to the care of Muklenburg Presbytery.

It has dissolved Whitney church.

It has dissolved the pastoral relation between Liberty Springs, Friendship, Lisbon and Mountville churches and the Rev. C. B. Ratchford and dismissed him to Transylvania Presbytery. It has also dissolved the pastoral relation between Dorroh and New Harmony churches and Rev. T. B. Craig that he might give his whole time to Fountain Inn church. And it has constituted the pastsral relation between Rev. T. C. Potter and Mt. Tabor, (G.) and Fulton churches, and between Rev. B. P. Reid and Mt. Calvary church and it has placed pastoral calls in the hands of Rev. J. F. Pharr from Liberty Springs, Lisbon and Mountville churches and made appointment for his installation at an early date.

During its recent fall Session the Presbytery celebrated its quarto-centennial with appropriate exercises at Spartan-

burg where it was organized by order of Synod in October, 1878. THOS. H. LAW, Stated Clerk.

HARMONY PRESBYTERY—Respectfully reports to Synod that it consists of fourteen ministers, thirty-four churches and two candidates for the ministry.

The pastoral relationships between Rev. W. H. Mills and the churches of Brewington, New Harmony, Corinth and Richmond have been dissolved. Rev. W. H. Mills has been dismissed to Charleston Presbytery.

Rev. W. S. Porter has been installed pastor of Summerton, Pinewood and Jordan churches.

The pastoral relation between Rev. J. E. Dunlop and Williamsburg church has been dissolved.

Rev. Kenneth McCaskill has been received from Charleston Presbytery, and is supplying Brewington, New Harmony, Corinth and Richmond churches.

The pastoral relation between Rev. F. W. Gregg and Manning church has been dissolved. Rev. F. W. Gregg has been dismissed to South Carolina Presbytery.

Rev. S. E. Bishop has been dismissed to Pee Dee Presbytery. W. W. MILLS, Stated Clerk.

PEE DEE PRESBYTERY—Reports to the Synod that it consists of fifteen ministers, twenty-nine churches and has under its care two candidates for the ministry.

It has received Rev. H. M. Dixon from Mecklenburg Presbytery and Rev. Bunyan McLeod, Ph. D., from the Presbytery of Charleston. It has installed Rev. H. M. Dixon pastor of the churches of Red Bluff, Clio and Carolina.

It has installed Rev. Bunyan McLeod, Ph. D., pastor of the Bennettsville church.

It has ordained J. P. Marion and installed him pastor of the Hartsville and Society Hill Churches.

It has received under its care as a candidate for the Ministry C. E. McLean of the Dillon church.

There is not a vacant church in the bounds of the Presbytery. A. H. MCARN, Stated Clerk.

SOUTH CAROLINA PRESBYTERY—Reports that it consists of twenty-seven ministers; sixty-five churches; has two

licentiates and four candidates for the Ministry under its care.

Received Rev. F. H. Wardlaw and Rev. F. W. Gregg from Harmony Presbytery and Rev. J. T. Wade from Kings Mountain Presbytery and Licentiate L. W. Query from Asheville Presbytery.

Dismissed Rev. J. F. McKinnon to Presbytery of Indian, Synod of Texas, and Rev. R. L. Grier to Albermarle Presbytery, Synod of North Carolina.

It has constituted the pastoral relations between Rev. F. H. Wardlaw and the Piedmont and Slabtown churches; Rev. W. J. Wyly and the Honea Path and Donalds churches; Rev. J. T. Wade and the Easley church; Rev. T. P. Burgess and the Edgefield, Trenton and Johnston churches; Rev. J. C. Shive and the Upper Long Cane and Little Mountain churches; and Rev. F. W. Gregg and the Pendleton and Fort Hill churches. It has also placed calls from Good Hope and Providence churches in the hands of Licentiate I. E. Wallace and granted him until the Spring Meeting of Presbytery to answer them.

It has dissolved the pastoral relation between Rev. T. P. Burgess and the Coronaca and Ninety Six churches; Rev. J. F. McKinnon and the Upper Long Cane church; Rev. W. J. Wyly and Hodges church; Rev. W. F. Strickland and the Pendleton and Fort Hill churches.

It has organized a church in Oconee County with seventeen members to be known as Fair Play church.

HUGH R. MURCHISON, Stated Clerk.

2.

Treasurer's Report.

THOS. H. LAW, TREASURER, IN ACCOUNT WITH THE SYNOD OF SOUTH CAROLINA.

I.—CONTINGENT FUND.

	DR.	CR.
To assessment Bethel Presbytery, 1901	$ 55 00	.....
To assessment Bethel Presbytery, 1902	55 00	.....
To assessment Charleston Presbytery	40 00	.....
To assessment Enoree Presbytery	50 00	.....
To assessment Harmony Presbytery	30 00	.....
To assessment Pee Dee Presbytery	20 00	.....
To assessment South Carolina Presbytery	50 00	.....
By balance due Treasurer last report	.....	$ 61 75
By printing and distributing Minutes	.....	108 98
By statistical tables for 1902	.....	14 00
By statistical tables for 1903	.....	15 00
By salary of Stated Clerk and Treasurer	.....	100 00
By balance in hand at close of year	.....	27
Total	$ 300 00	$300 00

II.—TOWNSEND FUND.

To balance in hand last report	$100 31	.....
To interest paid on notes	70 00	.....
To interest paid on deposit Saving Bk	53	.....
By paid Students J. E. Simpson and C. W. McCully	.....	150 00
By Balance in hand at close of year	.....	20 84
Total	$170 84	170 84

The interest for six months on the investment of $2,000 is due about this time, and funds will be paid over to the beneficiaries for this year as soon as they are named by the faculty of the Theological Seminary.

Respectfully submitted, THOS. H. LAW, Treasurer.

3.

Report of Committee on Foreign Missions.

The Permanent Committee on Foreign Missions would report to the Synod of South Carolina as follows:

1. As to the work of our Church in general, we are pleased to be able to quote from the report of the Assembly's Standing Committee this language: "With devout gratitude to God, we record the largest increase in the number of native converts through all our history, a larger increase of the missionary force than in any year save two since 1894, a decided advance in the contributions of our people, and a widespread deepening of the missionary spirit. Our Missionary force has increased in the past decade more than 62 per cent, and our contributions have increased nearly 35 per cent."

This report was made last May. The latest sources of information at hand indicate that the deepened interest in the cause continues, and that the work in the field is going forward with gratifying success. The number of missionaries now on the roll is 180—the largest number we have ever had.

2. The contributions from this Synod for the year ending March 31st show an increase of $1,721 over those for the preceding year. We are glad to see that every Presbytery shared in the increase. The total amount received by the General Assembly's Committee was $13,958 as against $12,237 from the Synod for the previous twelve months.

By Presbyteries the contributions were as follows: Bethel, $3,743; Charleston, $2,067; Enoree, $2,775; Harmony, $1,977; Pee Dee, $1,138; South Carolina, $2,258.

The increase for each Presbytery was as follows; Bethel, $298; Charleston, $359; Enoree, $103; Harmony, $563; Pee Dee, $205; South Carolina, $193. These figures are all taken from the report of the Assembly's Committee, showing the remittances actually made. They do not correspond with those in the "Statistical Reports of Presbyteries" published in the Assembly's Minutes. The latter are smaller by $1,270 for the Synod. Perhaps exact correspondence cannot be attained; but we are certainly entitled to credit for all the funds that reached the treasurer from our hands.

Last year, there were five churches in our Synod each of which was reported as giving $400 or more. This year, there are eleven such churches. These eleven churches were credited last year with $4,435; this year, with $6,428, an increase of $1,993 or 45 per cent.

3. When we last met, the Rev. Dr. H. C. DuBose and

the Rev. W. H. Hudson, of the Mid-China Mission, were with us. Both have now returned to their work. Soon after our adjournment, the Rev. L. O. McCutchen, of Bethel Presbytery, sailed for Korea, and on the 7th of this month, the Rev. J. Fairman Preston, of Enoree Presbytery, left San Francisco for the same country.

It was hoped that another member of our Synod, the Rev. J. G. Hall, of the Cuba Mission, would be present at this meeting, but we learn, that by advice of his physician, he has gone to New Mexico for the winter, seeking restoration to health. We commend him to the sympathy and the prayers of his brethren.

4. We desire to again call special attention to the Forward Movement in behalf of the support of mission stations and mission workers by individual churches or groups of churches.

The movement was inaugurated by the Assembly of 1902; and it was prosecuted with such vigor and success, that the Assembly of 1903 expressed "its profound satisfaction with the work," and declared, that it has hardly a parallel in the modern Church for aggressiveness, wisdom, enconomy and success. The work was ordered continued, and the services of the three young men who had been engaged in it, were directed to be secured for another year.

Mr. Preston felt that he must go on to his chosen field in Korea. Messrs. Stuart and Moffett agreed to continue their labors among the churches, and they are now the special representatives of the movement.

Mr. Moffett has planned to come to our Synod in January next, if the way shall be clear; and we ask that he and his work be cordially commended to our churches.

As far as known to us, the churches that have enlisted in this movement within our bounds are: Abbeville, Anderson 1st, Bethel, Charleston 1st, Columbia 1st, Fairview, Greenville at Donnalds, Greenwood, Hodges, Laurens 1st, Orangeburg, Purity, Spartanburg 1st, Sumter—14. Besides these Yorkville, Charleston 2nd, and Pelzer have continued their support of individual missionaries, and Rock Hill has recently resumed doing so after a lapse of several years.

5. The General Assembly has called for $250,000 for the present year. Reckoned by membership, our proportionate part is $22,000. Can we not raise this sum? The average contribution of the churches in the Forward Movement is $1.86 per member. A like average throughout our Synod would give $38,000.

We are informed, that the Rev. Dr. W. M. Anderson,

chairman of the Assembly's Committee, expects to attend this meeting of our Synod. We recommend that a cordial welcome be extended to him, and that he be invited to address Synod at some suitable time.

Respectfully submitted, Robert Adams, Chairman.

4.

Seventh Annual Report of the Synod's Executive Committee of Home Missinons.

Your Committee begs leave to submit the following report of Home Mission work in the bounds of the Synod as conducted by the several Presbyteries and by the Synod's Committee of Home Missions.

We submit for your consideration the Reports of the Chairmen of the various Presbyterial Committees, as follows :

Report of Presbyterial Committees.

Bethel Presbytery.—During the whole or a part of the past year twelve churches have been enabled to procure preaching, services have been held in six chapels, and a number of missions points have been cultivated. During the summer sixteen meetings were held under the direction of the Home Mission Committee in mission churches, chapels, and at mission points, resulting in many cases in a higher Christian life among church members, and the addition of about sixty to the membership of the Presbyterian church. In accomplishing these results one evangelist (supported by Presbytery and Purity Church,) three licentiates (one supported wholly by the first church of Rock Hill, and all of the regular pastors in the Presbytery have been used. Two churches have been organized in many places, largely the result of Home Mission effort. A lady missionary, who does general educational and religious work among the Catawba Indians, has been partially supported by Presbytery. Presbytery has expended on this work $725.25 and individual churches more than $500. J. K. Hall.

Charleston Presbytery.—For the year 1902-1903. Presbytery's Committee has aided fourteen churches in getting preaching, through supplies, Presbyterial Evangelists or regular pastors. Several mission points were cultivated

by pastors in connection with their regular work. All the churches in the Presbytery, with one exception, have had regular services for most of the time. No new churches have been built or organized, nor has there been any increase in membership. Except for this serious lack of extensive growth, there is reason for encouragement as will be seen from the contributions to this cause.

In accordance with a resolution passed by the last Synod and in an agreement made with Synod's Committee, Presbytery's Committee took over two "sustentation" groups in the bounds of the Presbytery which were formerly under the direction of Synod's Committee. In exchange for these Synod's Committee took charge of two factory mission fields in the Horse Creek Valley and in Columbia. Presbytery's Committee agreed to be responsible for all expenses in connection with the Horse Creek Valley field except the salary of the Evangelist, while the general conduct of the work remains in the hands of Synod's Committee. Rev. W. H. Mills has been laboring most acceptably in this field since the 1st of January.

Charleston Presbytery contributed to this work within its own bounds during the year not including amounts given as self-support, $866.10. Charleston Presbytery gave to Synod's work $672.08, making a total of $1,538.18.

F. D. Jones, Chairman.

ENOREE PRESBYTERY.—The Presbytery of Enoree raised for its own work, during the past year $345.00.

Assistance has been given in freeing the Church at Carlisle from debt, and in the support of a minister who is laboring at the Monarch Mill in Union.

The Rev. W. C. Smith has been employed to do a combined missionary and colportage work, principally among the cotton mill population. Efforts have been made to secure sufficient funds to employ an evangelist for all his time, but without success.

Several of our city and town churches are engaged in local missionary work, one of them contributing a considerable part of the salary of a minister, who is laboring in the city in which it is situated.

Robert Adams, Chairman.

HARMONY PRESBYTERY.—We are sorry to report that the happy groupings we had a year ago and which brought all our churches under the ministration of the Word have some of them been broken up or disturbed by one

cause or another, so that instead of having no church now as then, vacant, we have seven in that condition.

We collected for the past Synodical year for local missions $242 which with a balance on hand enabled us to supplement our groupings to the extent of $325.

So far as the maintaining of our vacant churches is concerned we could easily sustain the work if our groupings would remain as constituted; but either because of resignations from time to time, or some internal disaffection occasionally, we find it hard to hold these together.

We are now in the position of having to make a readjustment in some cases which will be undertaken as soon as practicable.

We have done very little aggressive works beyond the holding of our own. N. W. Edmuds.

Pee Dee Presbytery—.All of the churches within our bounds are now supplied with regular preaching services. We have assisted one church in securing a supply during the past year. One church building was repaired by the committee. During the summer months a student from the Theological Seminary at Columbia, was employed to labor among the factory people at Dillon, Bennettsville and McColl. For three months and a half this work was done and we trust that some good was accomplished. Arrangements have been made to build a chapel at one of the mills near McColl and the pastor of the McColl Church will conduct services there regularly during the week, while a Sabbath School will be carried on every Sabbath afternoon. In this way we hope to reach the people who do not attend any services at all. We have expended $334.33 on work within our bounds.

D. M. Fulton, Chairman.

South Carolina Presbytery—During past year seventeen (17) churches have been aided in securing the preached word and five (5) mission points have been supplied by home missionary and by pastors; a comfortable chapel has been built at Westminster, S. C., near the shuttle factory; a subscription of $1200 to build a church at Belton, S. C. has been raised. One new church has been organized at Fair Play, S. C., with twenty members. Nearly seven hundred dollars ($700.00) has been expended in our own work and we have now in treasury about six hundred dollars ($600.00.) Our work is conducted on a cash basis, no appropriations made in advance of amount in treasury. Our vacant fields are nearly all supplied. Our home mission work has been

greatly blessed and we hope to enlarge our work very much during the coming year.

W. S. Hamiter, Chairman.

The work as undertaken by the Synod's Committee has something of encouragement to report as well as that which may not be as satisfactory as we desire.

The Committee was instructed by the Synod last year to employ a Superintendent of Home Missions, if the way seemed clear. On November 20th, 1902, the Committee met in Columbia, S. C., and canvassed this question thoroughly, and with unanimity made a selection for this work, of one who was considered eminently suited to it, but the call of your Committee was declined by the brother after considering the question for some days. A sub-Committee was appointed to select a suitable one to be nominated to the Committee at large, but because of various considerations this sub-committee has not deemed it wise to make a nomination. Your Committee is still of the opinion that there is a necessity for a Superintendent of this work if we expect to accomplish great things for our Master and His Church. Probably the greatest obstacle to our securing a man for this position lies in the uncertainity of our Finances. We have no guarantee of the response churches, to the calls which are made by the Synod for support in any definite sum. Last year your Committee was authorized to raise $6,000 for the work, and the amount could have been wisely expended. But after an earnest plea and no little persistence in correspondence, the sum raised was but $2,200. However the debt which was reported to the Synod of last year has been paid and all obligations of this year met, and a few dollars remain in the Treasury. For two years a deficit has been reported, but this year we are grateful to report no such lack.

About the first of January of this year the Committee was fortunate enough to secure the labors of Rev. W. H. Mills of Harmony Presbytery for the wide field in Horse Creek Valley. This is a new field to be presented in this report. The letter of Bro. Mills will present the necessary information concerning the field. It may be stated by your Committee that this field was received from the Presbyterial Committee of Charleston Presbytery in exchange for the two fields served last year by this Committee through the agency of Rev. R. P. Walker and Rev. K. McCaskill.

The Committee also assumed responsibility for the work contiguous to Columbia in the large mill population of

that city. For six months it continued an arrangement with Mr. F. A. Bradshaw, a student in Columbia Seminary, by which he was to give certain services to this work. The Committee received the field and this arrangement for supplying from the Committee of Charleston Presbytery. When Mr. Bradshaw's engagement ended at the close of the Seminary session, the Committee engaged Mr. Jas. Bradley, also of the Theological Seminary, to labor in a part of this field for the Summer. At present there is no one doing the work required in this field, partly because we have not been able lay our hands on the man we need and also because the funds are not in hand with which to insure the support of a supply for the work.

The regular fields supplied by the Committee have been, besides that of the Horse Creek Valley and the one just mentioned, the Horry County field and Georgetown. Rev. C. E. Robertson is occupying the Horry County field and doing excellent work as far as your Committee can learn. He has been sadly hindered this year by reason of ill health. His letter will tell the story of his work however. In Georgetown, Rev. J. E. Dunlop has done faithful service for the past year and his letter too will be heard with pleasure.

During the past year a friend of this worthy cause, with the idea, doubtless, of stimulating a zeal for the workand exciting a lively interest in its support, offered to be one of five to raise one thousand dollars for the cause, or to be one in ten to secure this sum. The Chairman was quite zealous in his endeavor to find the other four needed to secure this healthy, large amount of money for our work, but only one other could be found. Although the effort failed, the thanks of the Synod are due the two gentlemen who were so willing with their substance to aid us so liberally.

The thanks of the Synod are also due to the Allan Nicholson Press for a goodly supply of the printed Report of last year for general distribution, without cost to the Committee.

The Committee begs leave to call the attention of the Synod to the Evangelistic labors of Rev. R. G. McLees throughout our State and other States, and the successful labors he has accomplished and is accomplishing for our Church. The Committee has considered the expendiency of endeavoring to enter into some arrangement with this brother by which the Synod may more sensibly enjoy the fruits of his labors. We are of the opinion that such an

arrangement can be made and that out of it may grow great gain for our Home Mission work.

Experience proves more sensibly every year the necessity of some stated time for a general collection for the cause of Synod's Home Missions. Last year the month of February was appointed by Synod for such a collection, but it is to be feared that but few churches observed this suggestion of Synod.

When our pastors and churches have no definite time for aiding this cause, the work of the Chairman of the Committee becomes very burdensome and is the source of great anxiety. We therefore urge the Synod to appoint some season which might be convenient for a collection in all our churches and we trust the recommendation of of Synod will be respected.

It becomes our sad duty to report the death of one of our members since the last meeting of Synod, Maj. A. H. White of Bethel Presbytery. Maj. White was known to the Synod as one of the most faithful and conscientious of our best Ruling Elders, and he will be sadly missed by the Synod as he has been so sadly missed by his church, the community in which he lived, his country and his State. We record his death with sincere regret.

We submit herewith the report of our Evangelists.

I.

Report of Rev. J. E. Dunlop.

To the Committee Domestic Missions, Synod of South Carolina:

I respectfully report that since the last meeting of Synod I have been constantly employed for half the time in Georgetown city and county in the work assigned by you. Preaching A. M. and P. M. every 2nd, 4th, and 5th Sabbath in our church in the city and in two places during the week in the county when I could get congregations. I constantly visited all people who cared to see a Presbyterian minister, have inquired for and sought out all the members of our church at large who have remained over for a few months in Georgetown and all who belong to Presbyterian families. I have persuaded most of them to attend church when they did not forget our appointment. There are still quite a number who

have not yet joined with us, mostly for the reason that they are not sure of staying long, but partly because we have not preaching every Sabbath.

The visit of the chairman of the Committee, though it was of very short duration and did not include the Sabbath, was a great thing for our people. His preaching Friday night and Saturday before our spring communion, and his private talk with the members were invaluable to us and brought three persons into the church, which I am sure would not have come in. We hope he may be able to repeat his visit, and that some other member of the Committee may find it possible to visit us.

Fifteen have been received into our church here since last February and six have been dismissed to other of our churches in the State.

We need preaching every Sabbath, and we hope to have it so next year if the Synod can continue its appropriation, or increase it. Harmony Presbytery will help some, and the people will do what they can, and I believe we can get the large number of Presbyterians here to join in, and that soon the church will become self supporting.

Our congregations are larger and our Sabbath School doing better work among the children of the mill employees, and a prayer meeting can be kept up if we can be here all the time.

My health has been good, tho' I remained among my people all summer and had a good deal of nursing typhoid fever patients to do.

Our city has been as healthy so far this year as any other in the State.

Respectfully submitted, J. E. Dunlop.

II.

REPORT OF WM. H. MILLS.

Field of Work.—The towns lying along the Augusta-Aiken Electric Railway, and owned by various cotton manufacturing companies, viz: Clearwater, Bath, Langley, and Graniteville. These towns aggregate about 7,000 people.

Methods of Work. — These have been two:— (A) Special. (B) Regular.

SPECIAL SERVICES.

1. *Cottage Prayermeetings*, for some weeks at Clearwater, Bath and Langley, with average attendance at each house about 12.

2. *Protracted Meetings*, of about one week's duration, with two services a day, at Graniteville and Langley. Average attendance, day services, about 15; night services, 125 to 150. Rev. Alexander Martin, Summerville, preached at Graniteville, and Rev. Alexander Sprunt, D. D., at Langley. Rev. Frank Willcock led the singing at Langley. A third meeting is yet to be held at Bath.

REGULAR METHODS.

1. *Preaching.* At Clearwater and Bath on alternate Sabbath mornings; average attendance about 12. At Langley and Graniteville on alternate Sabbath afternoons; average attendance 20.

2. *Sunday-school.* At Langley, average attendance, about 20.

3. *Visiting.* Two to three days each week have been spent visiting from house to house. The sick and destitute have been specially looked after. In many of the homes visited, no other minister had ever read the Word and prayed with the people.

III. *Opportunity for Our Work.*—About one person in eight (or about 1,250 to 10,000 people) is a member in some church in the valley—generally Baptist or Methodist. A conservative estimate is that one-half the adult population is not in connection with any church; and probably three-fourths seldom or never attend any church services. There is thus evidently a wide opening numerically speaking, for the Presbyterian Church. The present number of Presbyterians is as follows: Clearwater, 2; Bath, five; Langley, six; Graniteville, fourteen; in all, twenty-seven. From 25 to 30, may safely be assumed as the average number of members of the Presbyterian church who are resident, more or less permanently, in these mill towns.

IV. *Growth of Our Work.* We have but one organized church at Langley. There have been no additions to its membership during the year.

V. *Contributions to Our Work.* Self-Support: Evangelist S. S., and sustaining services, $86.24. Other Causes: Charity, $2.35; Foreign Missions, $3.77.

GENERAL OBSERVATIONS.

VI. 1. The people are very largely, almost entirely, native

South Carolinians. In evangelizing them, we are preaching the gospel to our own people.

2. The greatest need is that the people be taught to help themselves. They earn nearly or quite $700,000 a year in wages, and are able to sustain, and ought to sustain, every church, and every benevolent work among them, by themselves.

Respectfully submitted,

Wm. H. Mills, Evangelist.

II.

REPORT OF REV. C. E. ROBERTSON.

My health was good up to the first of August and I filled every appointment up to that date, and had my arrangements complete to hold a week's meeting at each point, but I was checked in this work almost from the beginning. After holding services on third Sabbath of August I had a severe hemorrhage from my lungs, which weakened me very much indeed, so much so that the doctors informed me that I would have to quit preaching until the weather became cooler. The doctors say that my lungs are not seriously affected—that it was due to my getting too warm and rupturing a blood vessel. I made my first talk last Sabbath and think I can continue now.

The work as a whole is doing as well as could be expected under the conditions. We have had no converts since my last report, but the membership is a unit as far as I know. They had begun to create a fund for the purpose of erecting a manse at this place, but have been set back very much by the extreme low price of tobacco, which is the chief product of many.

Kingston and Bayboro churches have fallen off some in their contributions, which is due to two causes: both have lost several of their most useful members by removal to other points and are also embarrassed by cheapness of tobacco. Waccamaw has not had these misfortunes—it is supported by lumber men that ship to foreign markets, and this local finan-

cial pressure does not affect them, therefore their contribution, as will be seen from statement, is gradually on the increase. She has just elected two new Elders. We have a a Sabbath School at each of these churches, all of which are in fair working order. Waccamaw is one of the best I know of—both young and old attend.

The people at Homewood, which is one of my preaching points, have just completed a nice building, and have an organ, all of which cost them upwards of six hundred dollars. I will preach the first sermon in it the third Sabbath, God being willing. We have not a single Presbyterian in that section, but they chose me as their preacher some months ago, and I trust we will some day be represented there. This is a new point, added to our list since my last report.

If I do not recover soon, this work will necessarily suffer at my hands, which is a great source of grief to me; but I trust our Heavenly Father will overrule all for good in some way.

Hoping to see you at Synod, I am

Sincerely yours,

C. E. ROBERTSON.

RECEIPTS.

Bethel Presbytery.

Bullock's Creek	$ 6 48
Flint Hill	1 40
Mt. Olivet	9 00
Concord	11 15
Mt. Pleasant	1 61
Catholic	5 40
Jefferson	11 30
Longtown	5 13
Zion	35 16
Clover	22 77
Beth-Shiloh	10 35
Union	10 00
Bethesda	35 00
Fort Mill	25 00
Ebenezer	20 00
Rock Hill	59 38
Hebron	1 40
Pleasant Grove	13 00
Bethel	16 59
Lebanon	17 50
Sion	19 45
Richburg	8 00
Hickory Grove	1 00
Olivet	9 00
Purity	25 00
Aimwell	5 00
Beaver Creek	1 00
Simpson	1 29
Mizpah	1 50
Fishing Creek	7 00
White Oak	3 05
Oakland	2 45
Ruby	2 17
Lancaster	34 00
Yorkville	58 00
A Friend, Chester Co	30 00
A Friend, Winnsboro	5 00
Total	$530 53

Charleston Presbytery.

Charleston, First	$ 100 00
Charleston, Second	110 73
Columbia, First	79 99
Columbia, Second	30 03
Brookland	2 00
Aiken	59 06
Stoney Creek	13 00
Summerville	10 79
John's Islands and Wadmalaw	22 00
James Island	9 00
Denmark	1 77
Blackville	2 50
Bamberg	2 64
Barnwell	1 57
Walterboro	7 00
Richland	1 00
Corinth	3 00
Orangeburg	50 00
Langley (self-support)	40 00
Miss A. K. Irving	100 00
W. A. Clark	10 00
Member 1st Church Charleston	5 00
Total	$661 08

Enoree Presbytery.

Greenville, First	$ 125 00
Greenville, Second	30 94
Fairforest	6 40
Pacolet	2 25
Jonesville	3 10
Trough Shoals	1 75
Glenn Springs	11 95
Fairview	8 35
Home Mission Committee	150 00
Woodruff	5 00
Mrs. Nicholson	10 00
Total	$354 74

Harmony Presbytery.

Concord	$ 15 90
Union	14 51

Richmond	8 49
Corinth	12 00
Pinetree	15 00
New Harmony	12 00
Camden	42 85
Midway	19 91
Beulah	3 50
Jordan	4 65
Salem	24 04
Bethel	14 25
Bishopville	10 00
Summerton	12 00
Hepzibah	5 00
Manning	41 70
Wedgefield	2 00
Tirzah	4 30
Sumter	60 00
Rev. Jas. McDowell	25 00
Capt. R. Whitford	5 00
Total	$352 10

Pee Dee Presbytery.

Marion	4 00
Florence	21 45
Beulah	1 82
Darlington	63 01
Reedy Creek	6 78
Timmonsville	25 00
Hartsville	7 50
Cheraw	44 14
Red Bluff	5 86
Kentyre	2 65
Blenheim	5 58
John McSween	100 00
E. and J. D	2 00
Total	$289 79

ON SELF SUPPORT.

Waccamaw	$ 227 67
Bayboro	13 00
Kingston	91 41
Total	$332 08
Grand Total	$618 87

South Carolina Presbytery.

Liberty	$ 3 30
Smyrna	4 84
Morris	1 25
Roberts	1 56
Greenville	4 00
Piedmont	3 77
Townville	2 00
Seneca	5 00
Anderson	33 00
Total	$58 72

Receipts by Presbyteries:

Bethel Presbytery	$ 530 53
Charleston Presbytery	661 08
Enoree Presbytery	354 74
Harmony Presbytery	352 10
Pee Dee Presbytery	289 79
South Carolina Presbytery	58 72
Total	$2,246 96

Disbursements.

On Salaries:

Rev. C. E. Robertson	$ 486 47
Rev. J. E. Dunlop	414 06
Rev. W. H. Mills	650 00
Rev. R. P. Walker	123 04
Rev. K. McCaskill	58 10
F. A. Bradshaw	150 00
James Bradley	40 00
Total	$1,921 67

Paid for

A Committee Meeting, traveling expenses		$ 23 25
Visiting fields of labor, W. H. Mills	$ 10 00	
Alex. Sprunt	27 00	$ 37 00
Total		$60 25
For postage	$ 10 00	
Stationery	6 75	

Clerical	150 00	$166 75
To D. J. Winn, Treasurer Harmony Presbytery, sent this Treasury by mistake last year		3 42
Total disbursements		$2,152 09

ALEXANDER SPRUNT,
Chairman.

5.

The Report of the Permanent Committee on Education for the Ministry.

We are thankful to report that the number of our candidates is increasing. The Southern Church reports 314 candidates and 52 licentiates this year. Our candidates this year have increased 23 while those of the Northern Church increased 37 during the year. It is noteworthy that in both churches the number of candidates and the number of confessions increase and decrease together, showing, all theories aside, that a simple revival of religion is all that we need at any time to increase the number of our candidates. Our Synod has 25 candidates and 6 licentiates—31 in all.

Bethel has 4 licensed and 4 unlicensed.

Charleston has—6 unlicensed.

Enoree has 1 licensed and 7 unlicensed.

Harmony has—2 unlicensed.

Pee Dee has—2 unlicensed.

South Carolina has 1 licensed and 4 unlicensed.

We have 16 in Seminary against 14 last year; 2 at Princeton, 12 at Columbia, 1 in Kentucky, 1 in S. W. P. U. —6 Juniors, 4 Middlers, 6 Seniors.

We have 9 in College against 10 last year; 6 at Davidson, 2 at Clinton, 1 in S. W. P. U.—3 Fresh., 1 Soph, 2 Juniors, 3 Seniors.

We have none in preparatory school and none have been dropped this year.

Three this year as last year are not studying. One is reported as working his way and two as teaching for same purpose, we suppose. When abundant help can be had, it seems a pity that any should stop this preparation.

As to diligence and deportment, Charleston, Enoree, Harmony and South Carolina report in these words, "very satisfactory," "generally good," "commendable," "good as far as known." Bethel and Pee Dee report in a few cases "not satisfactory."

Our record as to contributions has improved. Every presbytery increased its contribution to the Central Committee, Bethel giving $493, Charleston $215, Enoree $245, Harmony $184, Pee Dee $124, and South Carolina $363, total, $1625 against $967 last year. We drew from the Committee $1590 for 18 candidates, 7 from Bethel, 3 from Charleston, 4 from Enoree, 2 from Harmony, 1 from Pee Dee, 1 from South Carolina. Besides her contribution to the Central

Committee, Charleston gave $575 directly to several candidates, most of them belonging to other presbyteries. The candidates of our Synod received $950 from the Students Fund of the Seminary this year. We hope to see larger contributions. As candidates increase contributions should increase. Appropriations to students should be raised to at least $100. Only the worthy should be helped, and they ought to be freed during their studies as far as possible from worldly cares. Our share of the $30,000 called for by the Assembly is $2780. Of this $380 was given in April. When the outlook is so encouraging, can we not raise the remaining $2399 in November? Shall we be equal to the call made upon us? So far Bethel has given $24, Charleston $56, Enoree $78, Harmony $71, Pee Dee $84, South Carolina $64. What will we do in November?

We note that most of our candidates are in the Seminary. We have fewer than usual in College. The decline of a few years back will soon be felt. We rejoice to see the lower clasess begin to fill up. Will we be faithful with our gifts and with our prayers?

Undoubtedly we need more ministers. We need them to take the places of those who die and those who fail in strength, and we wish, moreover, to lengthen the cords and strengthen the stakes of our beloved Zion here and abroad. We have learned also that a church increasing in faith must be a growing church.

When we give attention to our need of ministers, this line of thought comes to us. It is only in passing through the mystery of the new birth that it is true, "I was found of them that sought me not and made manifest unto them that asked not after me." In subsequent dealing with his people God bestows his larger blessings on those who show appreciation by making the best use of what they have. It is His law that, "To him that hath shall be given and he shall have the more abundance." We ought not to pray for more ministers without seriously enquiring whether we are making the best use of what we have.

We are surprised to find that our Synod has hardly two churches to each minister. You will be surprised to find how very few churches have preaching every Sabbath and how many ministers supply from three to six churches. The fact looms up before us that our present ministry is sufficient to supply every pulpit in the State without any church giving up its regular services, except perhaps in a few cases, churches might be called on to give up an evening service which they report their people do not well attend.

Two things in our church life impress us today—the number of ministers who do not preach regularly and the number who do not do as much preaching as they could. We will not say that after ordination no man ought ever to do ought else than preach. We can not foresee and judge all possible circumstances. We do say, however, that a man ought to be very, very slow to quit the pulpit and pastorate. He ought not to go to teaching on the simple ground that that is an important part of church work, when others can be found for it. The very same argument will prove that he ought to act as as deacon in the church, that too being an important part of church work. As ministers become so absorbed in helps to the study of the Bible as to forget to study the Bible, so the Church becomes so absorbed in aids to her life as to forget her life, her vital breath, the very charter of her existence—the preaching of the Word.

How can the sight of a great number ceasing to preach for other work help making serious and thoughtful men fear to enter the ministry, lest they too should fail to find the work of preaching their highest joy?

By way of encouragement we note that our Church has recently made an important discovery. We have discovered that a fine business man in Nashville is willing to quit a good business and become one of our Church Secretaries. There is no telling how many educators and good business men for the educational and business work of our Church a search might reveal.

Our present ministry can cover more territory. Ministers have been known to preach every Sabbath in their own pulpit and supply vacant points twelve miles distant in the afternoon or evening. Some say this is too much to expect; but it involves no more labor than Foreign missionaries undergo nearly every day and no more than thousands of business men do every day, and after their ride they spend just as much energetic talk in their effort to make a trade as you or I ever spend in the pulpit. There abides with us today one who all his life has taken rides from eight to nineteen miles on Sabbath to reach sometimes three preaching appointments and the fact that he carries his more than seventy years so well, shows that such work is not necessarily fatal. My brethren of the Ministry, we can get up and go and supply our vacant churches and mission points, if we will.

Ministers are not always to blame for not doing as much preaching as they could. How shall the Church begin a better use of the ministry she has? Let the churches lay their

wants before some ministers. You don't know what they can and will do for you until you ask them.

Let every minister show by strenuous effort to reach as many people as possible on the Sabbath, that he honors his high calling and delights above all things in preaching the Word.

Let the Church, remembering how her Lord died and rose again that repentance and remission of sins might be preached in His name among all nations beginning at Jersalem—I say let the Church, in honor of Him, put the work of preaching on an exceeding high monntain of esteem and teach her Ministry and the world that she honors it above all things, and that whatever a man chooses in its place he comes down.

When after doing these things we turn to God, men will come and money will come, yea, the mountnins and the hills will break forth before us into singing and all the trees of the field will clap their hands.

We recommend

1. Because we believe that a right use of our present ministry is the first step to securing an increase, we recommend that Presbyteries instruct their Home Mission Committees to inquire what ministers can reach each vacant pulpit on Sabbath at some hour, and that they urge upon churches the importance of having their pulpits supplied, pointing out to them, when possible, how it can be done.

2. We urge upon our churches larger collections in November for this cause.

3. That we urge our ministers to call attention of the congregations to the need of ministers and to the nature of a call to the Ministry. And that at the next meeting each minister be asked to state how far he has complied with the request, and that the Stated Clerk inform our ministers of this action.

4. That we urge our congregations to especially remember in prayer the Faculty of our Seminary and our candidates, and to pray that God may call many more to preach the Gospel.

B. P. Reid, Chairman.

6.

Report of the Committee on Publication and Sunday School Work.

To the Synod of South Carolina: Your Permanent Committee on Publication and Sabbath-School Work would submit the following report:

I.—PUBLICATION.

1. It is gratifying to note that the changes necessary in the administrative force of this work has taken place without any detriment to its success, so well had the former and late Secretary organized it. The present active officers of the Assembly and Committee are: Mr. R. E. Magill, Secretary and Treasurer, Rev. A. L. Phillips, D. D., General Superintendent of Sabbath Schools, Rev. R. A. Lapsley, Editorial Department.

2. There have been issued from the Press during the past year 305,250 copies of new issues of old publications representing 30,870,400 pages and 640,800 new publications of 7,887,800 pages. The Committee has in hand the manuscripts of several valuable books of which I am sure every one will be notified. We can only give a passing notice in this brief report. "Apologetics" and "Christianity and Modern Evolution" by Dr. Beattie; Discussions in Theology by Dr. Girardeau; Pioneering in Central Africa by Rev. S. P. Verner; Sermons by Dr. Hoge; Life and Letters of R. L. Dabney, D. D., by T. C. Johnson, D. D., and a book by Dr. Kerr entitled True Blue.

3. BUSINESS DEPARTMENT. This department is in a healthy condition. The sales and profits are rapidly increasing every month. The sales for the year ending March, 1903, being $13,000 more than last year.

We have taken some pains to investigate and compare the terms offered by our Committee and those offered by other reputable Publishers and are now prepared to state the fact, with proof, that our ministers and others can get as favorable terms and more so in some instances from the Committee as it can from any other Publisher. As a matter of fact, it belongs to the Publishers Association, which is no less than a Trust and consequently is on the same basis with the largest and best Publishers in our country. They can get and furnish anything published just as cheaply as any other Publisher. Mr. Magill's letter will explain how a deviation may occur. I wish our church could become familiar with this fact and make it a rule to at least give our Com-

mittee the opportunity in making prices. Remember, brethren, the profit of every purchase makes a donation to the benevolent work of our church.

4. The Benevolent feature of this work is of first importance. This makes the entire business religious, and forms the basis of appeals to the people for their money, and they should always be reminded that not one dollar thus the given is ever diverted or used to carry on the business of Committee, but on the other hand the business department is continually giving to the Benevolent Work. It is gratifying to note that last year $5,947 worth of Bibles and Testaments and Sunday School literaure and other good religious books were given away, beside furnishing much material aid in Sunday School Missionary work. Mr. Magill writes us that from April 1st to Oct. 1st, the sum of $4,500 has been given from the profits of the sales of books. This is nearly equal to any previous year's profits.

5. Surely, brethren, such encouraging progress would make us respond more liberally to this hitherto neglected cause. The churches of our Synod contributed $1,142 to this cause last year, being nearly twice as much as the previous year. The Assembly recommends that the churches raise $20,000 for this cause this year, a part of which is already gone. The amounts apportioned to the Presbyteries of this Synod by the Assembly's Committee is as follows: Bethel, $748; Charleston, $350; Enoree, $200; Harmony, $254; Pee Dee, $214 and South Carolina, $438. This is exactly double the sum contributed last year.

II.—SABBATH SCHOOL WORK.

1. As to the work in general we feel that it is in a very healthy condition. The influence of Dr. Phillips' aggressive work is felt throughout the entire church. Last year he travelled 19,000 miles, wrote 2,800 letters and spoke to 17,000 people and directed the work of several Sabbath-school missionaries who travelled 27,000 miles, making 694 addresses and visiting 7,200 families. These figures alone tell of the vast seed sowing, the fruitage from which no man can estimate.

2. Let us look at the status of the work in our Synod. Last spring 184 Sabbath-schools reported 12,532 scholars and teachers engaged in this work. This is not a good showing when we remember that we have 20,595 communicants and 5,695 baptized non-communicants and 276 churches within our bounds. We recognize that this disparity could be somewhat relieved if all the Sabbath-schools would report to their

Presbyteries. Surely no Presbytery should rest until every church should have a Sabbath school, and if an active one should not be feasable, then have its Committee to get in the Home Department. This would be a very valuable means, especially in those churches in remote districts and having preaching only part of the time. Pastors and supplies should inform themselves as to this work, get a supply of material and put every one to a systematic study of God's Word.

We know of several valuable Sabbath school Institutes having been held within our bounds, but have no reports to base any accurate information upon.

5. SOME NEEDS. Teachers, classes and better material equipment should receive serious attention at the hands of all our Sessions. The manual of the Graded Course of Instruction adopted by the Assembly last year is full of suggestion both as to courses and equipment. Our Committee is better prepared than ever to furnish any thing along this line.

III.—YOUNG PEOPLE'S SOCIETIES.

1. Last spring there were reported 937 Young People's Societies with a membership of 25,941, contributing to all causes $48,000.

2. From this Synod Bethel Presbytery reported four societies having a membership of 1,154 contributing $1,564; Charleston reported 16 Societies, 300 members, contributing $221; Enoree reported 20 societies with 257 members, contributing $229; Harmony reported none; Pee Dee reported 4 societies with 121 members, contributing $75; South Carolina reported 14 Societies with 381 members, contributing $372.

Making a total from this Synod, 58 Societies, with 2,209 members, contributing $2,462.

HUGH R. MURCHISON, Chairman.

7.

Report of Permanent Committee on the Bible Cause.

We beg to bring to the attention of Synod the following interesting and important facts touching the Bible Cause, which have developed since our last report.

1. During its last year of operations, ending March 31, the American Bible Society made the largest annual distribution of the Scriptures in its history. The number of volumes sent out, with their message of divine truth, reached nearly 2,000,000; about 1,260,000 going into the foreign field, and about 735,000 into our own country, including Hawaii and Porto Rico. This was an advance of some 270,000 over the circulation of the year previous, and marked a large increase in both the home and foreign distribution.

This fact indicates that the Bible has not lost, but increased its popularity, and is still in great demand in our own country as well as in mission lands; that our agency in this work of Bible distribution is energetic and efficient, diligently seizing the golden opportunities presented for disseminating the inspired Word, and that blessed results must ensue through the grace and power of Him who hath said, "My word that goeth forth out of my mouth, shall not return unto me void; but it shall accomplish that which I please, and it shall prosper in the thing whereto I sent it."

2 The receipts of the American Bible Society fell off last year about $74,000, nearly one-third as compared with the year previous. And this, be it remembered, is in the face of unprecedented financial prosperity in our country, of increased liberality on the part of our people toward other objects of Christian beneficence, of the grandest opportunities the world has ever known for the circulation of God's word, and of the largest work ever done by the Bible Society. These circumstances make the fact stated surprising, perplexing and discouraging.

3. Our own branch of the Church reports about the same amount contributed for this cause as usual. The statistical reports of the churches to the last Assembly show as the amount contributed $4,845, little differing from that of the three years preceding. This the General Assembly characterizes as putting the Bible Cause "in rags and tatters." (See Minutes, p. 499.)

In our own Synod, we are happy to note, the contributions somewhat improved last year; 106 churches report $712 as contributed for this object, as against 95 churches giving $670

the year preceding. The improvement has been chiefly in Harmony and South Carolina Presbyteries.

Considering these facts, can we say that we are doing our duty toward this fundamental work, so important to our success in both the home and foreign field ?

4. The last Assembly, in response to overtures from a number of Presbyteries and individuals representing this work, appointed a Permanent Committee on the Bible Cause, to look after the interests of this department of service and report to the Assembly every year. It is hoped that by this means the Bible work will be more adequately brought before the Assembly, and through better organization, the interests of the cause will be promoted.

All our Presbyteries and churches are urged to cooperate with this plan.

5. The British and Foreign Bible Society of England will celebrate its Centennial next March. The organization of this great society marked the beginning of the free circulation of the Bible among all people through organized and systematic effort. And the inestimable benefits which have since come to the Church and the world through the multiplication of similar societies and the circulation by them of over 300,000,000 copies of the Scriptures in over 400 different versions, may be traced back to the 7th of March, 1804. when that Society came into being. It is therefore proposed by the British and Foreign Bible Society, and endorsed by the American Bible Society, and recommended by our own Assembly that on Sabbath the 6th March next, or "the nearest Sabbath thereto, our churches give special consideration to the claims of Free Bible Distribution and the great good accomplished by the Bible Societies, especially the American Bible Society."

We earnestly request all our pastors and churches to comply with this recommendation and heartily observe the significant occasion.

Respectfully submitted,
T. H. LAW, Chairman.

8.

MINISTERIAL RELIEF.

At the last meeting of Synod a Committee on Ministerial Relief was added to the Permanent committees of this venerable body. The very efficient and active Secretary of the Assembly's Executive Committee of Ministerial Relief leaves but little for Synod's Committee to do besides presenting this report.

The last Synod unanimously adopted the following resolution:

"We note, with devout thankfulness, the interest manifested throughout our Assembly in this noble cause of sympathy and relief in the support of some of God's most honored servants; and we earnestly trust that this interest will extend to every congregation throughout the bounds of the Assembly.

Resolved, (1) That we express our hearty interest in and our warmest endorsement of the cause of Ministerial Relief and the plan inaugurated by our Assembly for the prosecution of this work.

(2) That Synod approves of, and commends to our Presbyteries and Church Sessions, the recommendations of the Assembly asking that Permanent Committees be appointed in the interest of Ministerial Relief in every Presbytery and congregation.

(3) That Synod urges that each congregation that has not contributed to this cause during the present ecclesiastical year to send a contribution to the Assembly's Treasurer before the expiration of the present year."

It may be of interest to know how this urgent call was met by the Churches, and what response was made. The minutes show that only 102 failed to report some offering to this cause; 170 report having contributed something.

It may be of still greater interest to know how much was contributed by the 170 churches responding to Synod's call:

Presbytery.	Ch's.	Mem-b'shp.	Per ct.	Am't.	Per Ch.	Per Cap.
Bethel.....	56	5,601	28	$350 00	$6 25	.06½
Charleston..	33	2,579	24	275 00	8 33	.10½
Enoree.....	57	4,194	30	96 00	7 71	.12⅓
Harmony...	34	2,363	16	132 00	3 90	.05½
Pee Dee...	29	1,570	15	101 00	3 50	.06½
So. Carolina	63	4,337	25	180 00	2 80	.04

The total given to Ministerial Relief by the Synod of South Carolina in one year was $1,134.00. Our last Assembly at Lexington was moved to greater enthusiasm by this cause than any other that came before that body, and the following resolution was heartily adopted:

"The annual collection prescribed by our Assembly should without fail be taken in every church. Previous to such collection the necessities and merits of this cause should, either by a sermon on the subject or other full explanation by the pastor, be brought before the congregation. If all our ministers will comply with this recommendation and present this cause from their pulpits with a fullness and earnestness somewhat in keeping with its merits, the $30,000.00 called for by our Assembly will be furnished by the loving hearts and liberal hands of our people.

"We are persuaded that our brethren in the ministry will thus comply and thus present this cause to their people in proportion as they shall realize how much depends upon them in this direction to prevent disappointment and some serious distress.

"The General Assembly, in the fullness of a great desire to greatly increase the liberality of our people in this direction, adopted the following resolution also: 'In view of the fact that the beneficiaries of this sacred cause are largely widows and orphan children, we call upon our Sabbath-schools and our Ladies' and Young People's Societies to give this cause a liberal support.' We are glad to believe that this call will not be unheeded by our Sabbath-schools and Ladies' and Young People's Societies."

It is true that "No other cause has a stronger or holier claim upon our hearts and our offerings than this, and it is a reproach to our beloved Zion that it has received such a meagre support at the hands of our people.

All branches of the Church Protestant are to-day making some special response to their sacred obligation to Christ in behalf of this most worthy class of his beloved servants. All the larger families of the Presbyterian Church have Endowment funds varying from $200,000 to $2,500,000. Our Assembly (1902) recommended the raising of an Endowment Fund for this purpose of $1,000,000, of which now, September, 1903, $15,000 have so far been paid in. And they ask that every church, however weak numerically or financially, shall secure an annual proportionate contribution to this Endowment; and the last Assembly (1903) recommended that in addition all diligence be used to raise for the next year the sum of $30,000, to be distributed among our honored bene-

ficiaries. Your Committee recommend that the Synod does hereby—

"1. Request all our ministers to explain to their people the claims of this cause and the new method proposed by our Assembly for its management.

"2. Request all our Sessions to appoint a Permanent Committee on Ministerial Relief, who shall take the business under their special care, and shall canvass their respective congregations to secure the individual sympathy and support of the members in behalf of the Annual Fund and of the Endowment Fund also."

Respectfully submitted,

MELTON CLARK, Chairman.

9.

Report of the Permanent Committee on Colored Evangelization.

This work has been regularly maintained and some new fields occupied during the past year, but it has not been as aggressively prosecuted as the needs demanded. The most serious hindrance in beginning new work was not lack of inviting fields and adequate support, but a want of men. There were some places where the white people were interested in this cause to the extent of offering to become responsible for the support of evangelists, but there were no suitable men to send to these places. This difficulty was encountered also in supplying organized churches. However, the best, in the judgment of the Assembly's Committee, has been done that could be done under the circumstances to keep all churches supplied and to accomplish something along evangelistic lines.

During the past few years especial emphasis has been laid upon the organization of Sunday Schools having white teachers. Of such schools there are 37, with 174 teachers and 2,135 scholars. It seems that the churches generally are slow to engage in this kind of evangelistic effort. But where such schools have been established there has been encouraging success, and where the work was looked upon with disfavor or indifference at first, this feeling has disappeared in nearly every case.

The Assembly has four schools for colored youth, giving religions, academic and industrial education. In these there were gathered last session more than 500 pupils. Of this number the Ferguson-Williams College of our state had 276.

According to the agreement between this Synod and the Assembly's Committee the Ferguson-Williams college has been bought for $3,000. The Assmbly has paid $2,000, its part of the purchase money, and the property has been delivered and is now deeded to the Trustees of the General Assembly. This was done on the promise of this Synod that it would pay its share of the purchase price, which is $1,000. In accordance with your instruction last year this institution was placed on the list of beneficiaries of the 20th Century Fund. After conference with the Committee of this Fund it was agreed that the amount of the debt be prorated among our Presbyteries. This was done and the Presbyteries were requested to raise their respective apportionments. The effort has resulted so far in securing $177.63.

A comparative summary of the colored church statistics will, with three exceptions, show improvement. We give the figures of 1899 and 1903, a period of five years.

	1899.	1903.
Number of ministers.....	50	54
Number of licentiates.....	3	2
Number of candidates.....	12	8
Number of churches.....	58	85
Number of elders.....	150	195
Number of deacons.....	113	129
Number of communicants,.....	1691	2277
Number added in the year.....	255	252
Number of S. S. scholars.....	1850	3851
Contributed for self-support...	$1648	$3928
Amount paid pastors.....	969	2102

A study of this table is in the main encouraging. The work is evidently growing, and these brethren are faithful to their own cause. We call attention of Synod to two facts particularly. First, the colored people contributed last year and out of their poverty $1.72 per member to self support and pastors salary. Second, There was added to the membership of their church during the past year 11 per cent of its total membership while in our own Church there was added only 4.4 per cent. This last fact is certainy significant.

There is in the colored church as in our own a sad decrease in the number of candidates for the ministry. This is the more deplorable because of the supreme and

imperative need of of a larger number of ministers. The emphatic and loud present call from this cause is for suitable young men to prepare themselves for the gospel ministry.

Such persons can get a thorough preparation at the nominal cost of $20 per year for board and tuition. It is earnestly requested of our ministers that they seek out worthy, promising young men and recommend them to the Assembly's Committee.

In money our Synod contributed to this cause last year the small sum of $696. The Synod stands *fourth* in the list of Synods according to the number of communicants, but it stands *ninth* in the list according to the amounts contributed to the cause of colored evangelization. Brethren, this ought not so to be.

It is with sincere regret we record the with drawal from this work of the faithful and efficient Secretary, Rev. D. C. Lilly, D. D.

Rev. J. G. Snedecor has been elected as Secretary pro tem by the Assembly's Committee. We welcome Mr. Snedecor and pray God's blessing upon him.

Respectfully submitted,
S. C. BYRD, Chairman.

10.

Report of the Board of Directors of the Columbia Theological Seminary for Year Ending May 12, 1903.

The Board met May 12-14 inclusive, and of 15 members, 9 were present.

The following new members were enrolled: Rev. W. E. Boggs, D. D., Synod of Florida; Rev. B. P. Reid, of Synod of South Carolina; Rev. J. T. Plunket, D. D., of Synod of Georgia.

We make grateful acknowledgments of the goodness of God in his protecting from disaster our material property, and in his preservation of the health of the Seminary faculty and students.

There have been enrolled 27 students, an increase of two over the year preceding. Of this enrollment, five have been

in the Senior Class; three having completed their course with the degree of B. D. and two with certificate.

The report of the faculty shows the condition of the Seminary to be healthy, the students with few exceptions giving themselves with commendable diligence to their work, while their invariable conduct has been becoming students of the gospel ministry.

The financial condition of the Seminary is encouraging. The expenses of the institution have been comfortably met from the income, and the income has been increased several thousand dollars by judicious investments.

Two hundred dollars have been expended in the purchase of new books for the already large and valuable library.

We cordially commend to the sympathy and confidence of the Church this beloved School of the Prophets as being worthy of most generous confidence and patronage.

W. W. MILLS, Sec. of Board.

11.

Report of Thornwell Orphanage.

The Board of Visitors of the Thornwell Orphanage makes the following report to the Synods of South Carolina, Georgia and Florida:

DEAR BRETHREN: It is with sincerest pleasure that we report to you that your institution ended its twenty-eighth year on the first of October in excellent condition and with good prospect of a favorable year to come.

During the year 216 pupils have been under our care, and 32 officers and teachers have been employed. Of the pupils, 108 were from the State of South Carolina, 46 from Georgia and 18 from Florida, the rest being from almost every Southern and a few Northern States and two foreign countries.

We have lost one by death. Thirty completed their course of study or have been dismissed at their own request or returned to relatives. The places were promptly filled and over-filled. More than one hundred applicants are waiting admission. Until the accommodations are enlarged, the pressure upon us will greatly increase. Of our ten family cottages, one was built by general subscription, one was built by a Charleston , six were erected by Mrs. Nettie F. McCormick of Illinois, one by Mrs. Clarissa Fairchild of Ohio,

one was rebuilt by Mrs. Lees of New York City. It is evident that the Synods most largely benefitted have contributed but little to the housing of their orphans. Two cottages and a second dining hall are imperatively needed.

For the support of these pupils, we have received from October 1st, 1902, to October 1st, 1903, the sum of $19,834.75, of which $3,800.00 was income from endowment fund, proceeds of shop work and other items, and the balance from donations. Of the donations 153 churches, Sabbath schools, Societies and individuals, contributed above $10,000 as a result of their pledges to provide for individual children.

For the endowment fund the amount raised was a little above $7,000, increasing the invested funds to $64,000. The Lees legacy of $10,000 has not been paid.

The only building work of any consequence done this year, was the erection of the Superintendents' Cottage, for which Mrs. McCormick contributed $1,500, and Dr. Lesh, of Massachusetts, $1,000, with a few other smaller gifts.

The school for the ensuing year is in most excellent condition and promises to be the best work we have had done for many a year. We have remodelled the school in some particulars. Our girls are as heretofore, carried through the regular College course of instruction ; the boys on completing our academic course, if they are able to stand examinations and altogether meet with our approval, have the privilege of attending the classes of the Presbyterian College of South Carolina, in which we have a number of scholarships. We have six students now in that institution. There are 31 in our own College department.

The training schools of the institution have met with excellent success and our pupils take much interest in the various forms of handicraft to which they are apprenticed. Our shoe shop makes all the shoes that we use except the few that are donated. Our farm provides all butter, milk and vegetables and much other produce. The clothing of both boys and girls, is very largely made by the pupils themselves and all domestic work is done by them.

During the year 32 of our pupils have united with the Church, and one, Mr. John W. Carpenter, was received under the care of Presbytery.

Gratefully appreciating the kindness of the brethren in sustaining this institution and praying the richest blessing of God on your deliberations, I am

In behalf of the Board of Visitors,

WM. P. JACOBS, President.

12.

Report of the Trustees of the Presbyterian College at Clinton.

To the Synod of South Carolina, in session at Cheraw, S. C., Oct. 20, 1903.

We are glad to be able to report an unusually successful year's work as completed in June, 1903. The total enroll- for the session of 1902-1903, was 71. This is more than we have had in any one year since the 3 grades of the Preparatory Department were done away with, and the one Sub-Freshman Class substitued. During the session, the new charter was secured, copies of which were sent to the Presbyteries at the Spring meetings. All of the Presbyteries except Charleston appointed Trustees nnder the provisions of the charter. At the Annual Meeting of the Board in June, a large attendance was expected; but owing to the floods which were prevalent at the time, very few of the members from a distance were able to reach Clinton. However, the Board was organized, Constitution and By-Laws adopted, Committees appointed, and satisfactory arrangements made for the next year's work. An Executive Committee was appointed, upon which was laid the responsibility of the management of the College in the interim between the meetings of the Board.

During the summer, this Committee received from the Synod's 20th Century Fund Committee the sum of $1,500, collected for the College to date. To this was added about $400, collected by Chancellor Thornwell, and in accordance with the instructions of the Board, the Executive Committee, at a called meeting in June, appointed a Building Committee, and proceeded to the erection of a dwelling for the President of the College. This building is now nearing completion, and will be a very convenient and commodious house.

The residence just mentioned is located on a lot purchased by the College last spring, situated between the College Recitation Hall and Dormitories. The College now owns about 28 acres of land, well situated and constantly increasing in value. A payment was made on this last purchase, and a mortgage given for the balance. It is the purpose of the Presbyterians of Clinton to pay off this mortgage as soon as they complete their new church building.

During the summer, the Cottage Dormitory and the Refectory have received two coats of paint, adding much to the attractiveness of their appearance.

Other necessary repairs have been made and the whole

property put in as good a condition as possible before the opening of the new session.

The enrollment of this so far session is about what it this time last year, and students are still coming in was at.

The Y. M. C. A. Literary Societies and reading rooms are organized, and are proving useful additions to College life.

Prof. McWhorter of the Latin Chair, having resigned in order to resume his studies at John Hopkins University, Mr. Bothwell Graham, Jr., of Athens, Ga., was appointed to fill the vacancy. Mr. Graham is a graduate of the University of Georgia, has had experience in teaching, and comes very highly recommended. He has taken hold of his work with zeal and earnestness, and bids fair to equal the enviable record of his predecessor.

During the year of 1903, four issues of the College Bulleton, each issue numbering 3000 copies, have been sent out. This is one of the cheapest and best ways of advertising the College, and we hope that good results will be felt from this publication. The Literary Societies of the College have during the past session published a magazine, The Collegian.

A College improvement Club has been organized, consisting of those who are willing and able to contribute $10 annually to the Faculty of the College for improvements and additions to the property of the institution. A number of names have been placed upon this list, and the sum thus contributed will prove very helpful.

Taking all things into consideration, we feel that we can report the affairs of the College in better condition than ever before, and we felt very grateful to those of our friends, who by their timely aid, have made it possible for us to make this statement. We thank God for our measure of prosperity and ask your prayers that we may continue to prosper in proportion, as our work is for the good of the Master's cause.

A. E. Spencer, Secretary of Board.

13.

Report of Treasurer of Society for Relief of Superannuated Ministers.

To the Synod of South Carolina, at Cheraw, S. C.:

The treasurer of the Society for the Relief of Indigent and Superannuated Ministers of the Presbyterian Church and their families would respectfully report that the assets of said Society at this date, which he considers good beyond all question, amount to $6,378.11. In making up my report I have not embraced claims which I regard doubtful and probably worthless. The assets consist of

5 shares Farmers Bank stock	$ 500 00
Cash on hand	1,150 77
Notes	4,727 34
Total as stated above	$6,378 11

All which is respectfully submitted,

L. W. WHITE, Treasurer.

STATISTICAL TABLE OF SOUTH CAROLINA SYNOD.

Synod of South Carolina.—*Pres. of Bethel.*																										
MINISTERS, Etc,	POST OFFICES.	CHURCHES.	Elders.	Deacons.	Added on Examination.	Add. on Cer.	Total Communicants.	Adults Bap.	Infants Bap.	Baptized Non-Com.	S. S. Teach.	S. S. Scholars.	Foreign Missions.	Assembly's Home Miss.	Local Home Miss.	Colored Evangelistic.	Min. Relief.	Education.	Publication.	Bible Cause.	Presbyterial.	Pastor's Salaries Paid.	Congregat'l.	Miscellaneous.
Synod of S. Carolina.																								
1. *Pres. of Bethel.*																								
W. W. Ratchford, P...	Waxhaw, N. C.....	Tirzah,* P.	4	5	28	1	235	9	6	79	15	136	75	8	9	2	3	9	3	147	10	380	67	550
W. W. Ratchford, S. S..	Lindsays, S. C.....	Waxhaw, S. S.....	4	2	3	1	49	3	1	10	...	....	7	3	3	1	1	3	1	20	3	175	5	10
W. W. Ratchford, S. S..	Van Wyck, S. C....	Beulah, S. S.....	1	1	5	...	25	...	...	5	...	....	.....	.....	3	....	1	....	1	...	1	50	1	.....
James Douglas, P.....	Blackstock, S. C....	Mt. Olivet, P.....	2	3	2	2	60	...	2	21	2	15	20	5	21	2	5	5	2	1	5	175	3	.....
Jno. G. Hall, F. M.....	Cardenas, Cuba ...	.....	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
J. H. Thornwell, D.D., P.	Fort Mill, S. C.....	Fort Mill,* P.	5	3	3	13	200	2	3	63	18	115	110	40	45	3	22	126	5	3	22	700	378	200
J. H. Thornwell, D.D., P.	Old Point, S. C.....	Ebenezer, P.	6	5	5	12	100	...	3	25	...	42	87	30	55	7	20	160	12	6	15	650	50	75
W. B. McIlwain, F. M..	Kochi, Japan	....	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
S. H. Hay, P.....	Clover, S. C.....	Clover,* P.	5	7	5	8	159	...	7	....	16	120	65	18	53	6	15	40	10	5	12	400	38	26
S. H. Hay, P.....	Yorkville, S. C....	Beersheba, P.	6	10	5	2	160	...	11	130	12	80	40	12	26	5	12	15	5	3	12	300	23	.....
J. B. Swann, P.....	Bullock Creek, S. C.	Bullock Creek,* P..	5	5	17	...	137	5	11	50	6	45	59	5	15	1	3	35	4	2	18	350	20	.....
J. B. Swann, P.....	McConnellsvi'e, S.C.	Olivet. P.	4	5	14	2	130	2	6	40	9	75	40	9	18	2	9	29	5	2	12	350	45	.....
J. B. Swann, S. S.....	Calvin, S. C.....	Mt. Pleasant	4	3	...	...	30	...	...	25	11	21	3	2	4	...	1	2	...	...	3	50	5	.....
D. N. McLauchlin, P...	Chester, S. C.....	Purity,* P.	7	10	22	29	410	7	14	125	34	229	578	63	654	15	35	159	25	10	30	1600	738	125
W.M.McPheeters, D.D., P.	Columbia, S. C.....	.. ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Wm. G. Neville, P.....	Yorkville, S. C.....	Yorkville,* P.	7	6	14	10	314	3	8	135	16	100	500	50	151	12	35	185	20	10	30	1200	256	.....
J. H. Wilson, P.....	Bascomville, S. C...	Richburg,* P.	4	4	3	6	52	...	5	7	...	....	15	4	7	1	2	3	2	2	6	257	.....	71
J. H. Wilson, P.....	Rodman, S. C.....	Fishing Creek, P...	4	4	5	1	66	...	...	15	...	....	15	5	12	2	6	7	4	2	6	300	.....	.....
M. R. Kirkpatrick, P...	Blackstock, S. C....	Concord,* P.	4	6	10	9	176	...	5	66	14	146	71	4	13	4	8	31	4	5	18	520	237	.....
M. R. Kirkpatrick, S. S.	Chester, S. C.....	Mizpah, S. S.....	2	1	...	...	22	...	1	19	...	....	5	2	4	4	2	4	4	2	3	137	.....	.....
M. R. Kirkpatrick, S. S.	Leslie, S. C.....	Hopewell, S. S.....	4	1	...	...	67	...	3	37	4	30	1	1	3	1	1	2	1	1	3	87	12	.....
M. R. Kirkpatrick, S. S.	Rock Hill, S. C....	Oakland, S. S.....	2	3	...	7	30	...	1	12	...	....	1	2	1	1	1	1	2	2	2	62	10	.....
J. K. Hall, P.....	McConnellsvi'e, S.C.	Bethesda,* P.....	7	7	3	5	192	...	4	95	15	90	75	26	96	7	15	22	10	5	18	770	102	174
James Russell, E.....	Chester, S. C.....	.....	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
W. T. Hall, D. D., Prof.	Columbia, S. C.....	.....	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
W. A .Hafner, P.....	Bowling Green, S.C.	Bowling Green,* P..	4	2	1	8	47	...	1	48	10	63	124	7	26	1	4	65	2	1	6	350	26	5
W. A .Hafner, P.....	Clay Hill, S. C.....	Allison Creek	4	4	2	1	101	...	5	67	8	32	54	8	44	5	6	10	2	3	10	300	48	.....
W. A .Hafner, P.....	Yorkville, S. C.....	Beth Shiloh	5	3	11	3	94	5	5	25	5	45	30	6	25	3	5	16	3	3	9	200	58	.....
Chalmers Fraser, P....	Lancaster, S. C....	Lancaster,* P.	6	7	1	4	166	...	...	67	11	70	60	50	93	7	12	208	19	18	15	800	313	.....
J. T. Dendy, P.....	Kershaw, S. C.....	Kershaw,* P.	6	4	5	8	63	3	4	15	6	40	13	2	2	....	1	2	1	...	....	360	182	.....
J. T. Dendy, P.....	Kershaw, S. C.....	Beaver Creek, P....	2	1	...	...	30	...	1	...	...	....	1	....	1	....	1	1	...	1	3	100	.....	.....
J. T. Dendy, P.....	Dry Creek, S. C....	Douglas, P.	3	3	2	1	80	2	...	...	...	....	5	3	4	1	1	3	1	...	3	125	.....	.....
W. B. Arrowood, P.....	Clover, R. F. D., 2.	Bethel,* P.	9	9	8	2	300	3	15	176	24	192	600	40	73	10	25	617	13	10	17	1000	123	15
C. G. Brown, P.....	Chester, R. F. D., 1.	Pleasant Grove,* P.	4	5	13	5	134	1	3	62	11	100	44	14	15	8	8	16	8	10	15	325	.....	15
C. G. Brown, P.....	Rossville, S. C.....	Catholic, P.	3	3	2	...	61	1	4	27	6	32	50	12	11	4	7	6	4	5	15	200	24	16
C. G. Brown, P.....	Blackstock, S. C....	Hebron, P.	3	3	14	...	72	1	3	28	6	49	32	2	3	1	2	2	3	4	6	200	68	.....
A. H. Atkins, P.....	Lowrysville, S. C...	Zion,* P.	6	4	6	2	106	...	1	....	9	47	60	20	35	6	15	25	8	5	15	390	.....	.....
A. H. Atkins, P.....	Lewis' T. O., S. C...	Uriel, P.	5	3	...	2	40	...	9	20	...	....	24	6	14	1	6	8	4	1	3	223	.....	.....
L. O. McCutchen, F. M.	Chunju, Korea	.....	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
H. J. Mills, P.....	Ridgeway, S. C.....	Aimwell,* P.	3	1	3	4	49	2	...	12	6	28	26	.....	12	3	3	1	...	2	6	140	25	.....
H. J. Mills, P.....	Longtown, S. C.....	Longtown, P.	4	5	2	1	64	...	...	40	10	45	25	.....	15	2	6	....	1	2	6	162	16	31

SYNOD OF S. CAROLINA.—*Pres. of Bethel, cont'd. Charleston. Encoree.*

MINISTERS, ETC,	POST OFFICES.	CHURCHES.	Elders.	Deacons.	Added on Examination.	Add. on Cer.	Total Communicants.	Adults Bap.	Infants Bap.	Baptized Non-Com.	S. S. Teach.	S. S. Scholars.	Foreign Missions.	Assembly's Home Miss	Local Home Miss.	Colored Evangelistic.	Min. Relief.	Education.	Publication.	Bible Cause.	Presbyterial.	Pastor's Salaries Paid.	Congregat'l.	Miscellaneous.
H. J. Mills, S. S.....	Simpson, S. C.....	Simpson, S. S.....	1	1	...	...	15	...	1	5	...	....	3	.....	4	1	1	1	....	1	1	22	.....	.....
H. J. Mills, S. S.....	Flint Hill, S. C.....	Flint Hill, S. S.....	1	1	2	2	9	...	...	4	...	....	2	.....	.....	.....	.....	2	.....	...	1	.....	.....	.....
W. L. Lingle, P.....	Rock Hill, S. C....	Rock Hill 1st,* P...	8	11	15	50	470	2	10	180	46	411	416	97	72	20	16	92	21	...	30	1538	1428	25
J. M. Harris, S. S.....	Jefferson, S. C.....	Jefferson,* S. S.....	3	4	...	2	70	...	1	....	6	25	4	9	8	2	....	13	5	2	3	79	.....	13
J. M. Harris, S. S.....	Chesterfield, S. C...	White Oak, S. S....	2	3	...	...	60	...	...	9	8	24	2	3	3	1	....	2	3	1	....	50	.....	.....
J. M. Harris, S. S.....	McBee, S. C.....	McBee, S. S.....	1	1	...	...	11	...	...	....	...	....	1	1	2	.....	.....	.....	2	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
J. M. Harris, S. S.....	Ruby, S. C.....	Ruby, S. S.....	3	2	1	9	25	...	1	7	...	....	.....	2	2	.....	.....	.....	2	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
S. C. Byrd, P. E.....	Winnsboro, S. C....	Sion,* P. E.....	5	6	2	13	150	...	20	....	12	88	106	41	27	6	5	15	6	7	10	495	450	70
J. R. Millard, P. E.....	Stevenson, S. C.....	Lebanon,* P. E.....	5	6	2	2	83	2	...	25	6	35	15	4	12	3	12	....	4	2	12	350	.....	.....
J. R. Millard, P. E....	Feastville, S. C....	Salem, P. E.	7	7	...	...	137	1	...	....	9	70	16	5	3	2	....	2	4	1	16	300	3	.....
J. R. Millard, P. E.....	Winnsboro, S. C....	Union, P. E.....	3	3	...	...	53	...	...	19	5	40	18	6	15	5	5	5	3	1	3	135	5	.....
—27	Blacksburg, S. C...	Calvary, V.	4	3	1	1	67	...	...	25	11	....	32	.....	11	....	4	7	.....	.....	6	259	75	16
	Sharon, S. C.....	Woodlawn,* V.	6	5	4	1	85	...	3	45	...	50	7	2	7	....	2	21	1	1	6	210	16	.....
	Hickory Grove, S. C.	Hickory Grove, V...	2	1	...	...	14	...	...	....	...	....	1	1	2	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	2	.....	.....	.....
	Yorkville, R. F. D. 1	Ramah, V.	2	1	...	...	46	...	3	....	9	30	1	.....	2	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	2	69	.....	.....
	Yorkville, S. C.....	Harmony, S. S.....	2	3	4	...	30	...	...	....	...	....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	3	75	.....	.....
	Bascomville, S. C...	Cedar Shoals, S. S..	3	1	...	...	32	...	...	25	...	....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
	Fort Lawn, S. C...	Fort Lawn, S. S....	1	...	...	...	17	...	...	....	...	....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
	Heath Sp'gs, S. C..	Heath Springs,* V..	4	2	4	...	88	...	...	15	8	78	21	1	4	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	250	160	.....
	Liberty Hill, S. C...	Liberty Hill, V.....	3	3	...	2	77	...	2	45	11	70	8	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	8	107	32	.....
	Osceola, S. C.....	Six-Mile Creek, S. S.	5	4	...	...	32	...	2	23	...	....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	21	.....	.....
	Horeb, S. C.....	Horeb, V.	...	...	...	...	8	...	...	....	...	....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Licentiates—4.																								
T. H. Spence.....	Rock Hill, S. C....	.....	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	....	...	....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
J. B. Meacham.....	Rock Hill, S. C....	.....	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	....	...	....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
J. J. Brown.....	Yorkville, S. C.....	.....	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	....	...	....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
L. W. Brown.....	Yorkville, S. C.....	.....	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	....	...	....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
			225	216	249	231	5600	52	185	1973	415	2808	$3568	$631	$1680	$168	$224	1873	$240	309	$459	17348	$4942	$1443
Candidates..4.																								
2. *Pres. of Charleston.*																								
C. S. Vedder, D. D., P.	Charleston, S. C....	.....	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	....	...	....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
S. I. Woodbridge, F. M..	Chinkiang, China ..	.....	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	....	...	....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Wm. H. Taylor, Inf....	Summerville, S. C..	.....	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	....	...	....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
G. A. Blackburn, P....	Columbia, S. C.....	Columbia 2d. P.*...	5	4	13	18	212	4	5	75	24	167	131	22	120	9	13	139	23	4	15	1600	817	87
J. W. Flinn, D.D., Prof.	Columbia, S. C.....	.....	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	....	...	....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
John L. McLees, P.....	Orangeburg, S. C...	Orangeburg, P.* ...	4	2	...	4	121	...	2	....	10	54	417	30	152	10	40	295	10	...	10	1500	248	323
Sam'l M. Smith, D.D.. P.	Columbia, S. C.....	Columbia 1st, P.*..	5	9	20	40	475	7	12	200	33	272	438	15	365	71	59	309	33	...	50	2400	2954	318
D. J. Brimm, D.D., S.S.	Columbia, S. C.....	Richland, S. S.....	3	...	...	...	21	...	...	....	8	26	1	1	1	1	1	1	....	...	3	.....	.....	.....
H. G. Gilland, Inf.....	Chestertown, N. Y..	.....	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	....	...	....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
H. M. Parker, P.....	James Island, S. C..	James Island, P.*..	3	3	...	1	49	...	...	....	8	30	32	15	41	6	5	21	5	...	4	480	77	13
H. M. Parker, P.....	Mullet Hall, S. C...	John's Isl'd & W., P.	2	4	...	2	55	...	7	51	9	50	42	.....	82	6	6	25	13	3	7	401	94	.....
W. W. Brimm, W. C..	Atlanta, Ga.	.....	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	....	...	....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Alex. Sprunt, D. D., P..	Charleston, S. C....	Charleston 1st, P...	7	7	12	15	343	1	6	....	29	118	633	50	340	30	50	612	25	25	44	2400	2545	.....
T. B. Trenholm, P.....	Edisto Island, S. C.	Edisto Island, P.*.	2	3	...	3	57	...	2	31	4	20	86	18	11	8	23	29	7	...	5	600	22	42

F. D. Jones, P.....	Aiken, S. C.....	Aiken, P.*	4	5	5	4	131	2	10	....	10	55	108	12	112	8	41	28	11	8	32	946	255	24
Alexander Martin, P...	Summerville, S. C..	Summerville, P.* ..	1	3	9	9	82	3	...	38	8	71	23	.....	30	....	....	25	....	...	1	720	425	382
Frank Willcock, Ev....	Orangeburg, S. C....	.....	...	...	...	...	....	...	....	....	....	....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Frank Willcock, Ev....	Denmark, S. C.....	Denmark, E.	1	2	...	...	5	...	...	....	....	....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Frank Willcock, Ev....	Blackville, S. C.....	Blackville, E.	1	...	...	...	13	...	...	....	....	....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Frank Willcock, Ev....	Barnwell, S. C.....	Barnwell, E.	1	1	...	...	7	...	...	....	....	....	.....	.....	2	....	2	.....	.....	.....	.....	12	.....	.....
Frank Willcock, Ev....	Bamberg, S. C.....	Bamberg, E.	...	...	...	1	10	...	...	....	....	....	.....	.....	3	....	3	.....	.....	.....	.....	18	.....	.....
H. A. White, D.D., Prof.	Columbia, S. C.....	.....	...	...	...	...	....	...	....	....	....	....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
S. C. Caldwell, P.....	Walterboro, S. C....	Walterboro, P.*	3	2	11	3	69	1	7	42	9	65	23	9	28	....	2	8	....	...	7	390	380	38
S. C. Caldwell, P.....	Walterboro, S. C....	Corinth, P.	3	1	1	...	15	...	...	16	4	12	2	.....	6	....	2	1	....	...	1	28	.....	.....
S. C. Caldwell, P.....	McPhersonville, S.C.	Stoney Creek, P....	1	1	4	...	33	...	2	....	....	....	12	.....	15	....	.....	.....	8	.....	.....	137	60	7
D. M. McIver, P.....	Charleston, S. C....	Westminster, P....	4	2	1	...	143	...	...	50	14	75	87	.....	.....	.....	.....	80	12	...	12	891	808	129
D. M. McIver, S. S....	Mt. Pleasant, S. C..	Mt. Pleasant, S. S..	1	.....	...	1	12	...	...	....	4	25	.....	.....	5	....	5	.....	.....	.....	2	62	.....	25
J. Kier G. Fraser, P...	Charleston, S. C...	Charleston 2d, P...	5	10	8	17	395	...	12	80	39	255	723	6	559	15	34	563	12	15	55	2030	2647	.....
Wm. H. Mills, Ev.....	North Augusta, S.C.	.....	...	...	...	...	....	...	....	....	....	....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Wm. H. Mills, Ev.....	Langley, S. C.....	Langley, E.	2	...	...	...	7	...	...	3	7	30	2	.....	1	....	6	2	....	...	1	25	.....	.....
—21	McClellanville, S. C.	N. Wappetaw, P. E.	4	3	12	1	77	...	1	29	8	56	2	.....	4	....	2	2	....	...	4	108	50	7
	New Brookland, S.C.	Brookland, S. S.....	1	1	...	...	20	...	3	9	7	45	.....	.....	18	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
	Young's Island, S.C.	Wilton, S. S.....	2	1	...	...	10	...	...	14	3	32	.....	.....	4	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1	.....	100	.....
	Barhamville, S. C...	Barhamville, S. S..	2	1	...	...	18	...	...	....	....	....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
	Beech Island, S. C..	Beech Island, V....	1	...	...	...	18	...	...	4	....	....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	75	10	.....
	Crocketsville, S. C..	Harmony, V.	4	4	7	...	40	7	2	2	4	39	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
	Estill, S. C.....	Estill, V.	2	...	...	...	10	...	....	....	....	....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
	Allendale, S. C.....	Allendale, V.	1	...	...	...	9	...	....	....	....	....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
	Hayville, S. C.....	Boiling Spring, V..	2	...	...	...	13	...	....	....	....	....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Licentiate—1.	Beaufort, S. C.....	Beaufort, V.	1	...	...	...	6	...	....	....	....	....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
K. H. Shimmon.....	Port Royal, S. C...	Port Royal, V.	1	...	...	...	8	...	....	....	....	....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
	Oroomiah, Persia ..	.....	...	...	...	...	....	...	....	....	....	....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
	—32																							
Candidates—5.			79	69	103	119	2384	25	71	645	242	1497	$2562	$178	$1899	$164	$294	2138	$159	$55	$254	14523	11492	$1395
3. *Pres. of Enoree.*																								
R. H. Reid, Inf.....	Reidville, S. C.....	.....	...	...	...	...	....	...	....	....	....	....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
T. H. Law, D. D., Agt.	Spartanburg, S. C..	.....	...	...	...	...	....	...	....	....	....	....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
R. P. Pell, Pres.....	Spartanburg, S. C..	.....	...	...	...	...	....	...	....	....	....	....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
B. F. Wilson, D. D.....	Cambridge, Mass....	.....	...	...	...	...	....	...	....	....	....	....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
S. R. Preston, D.D., Pres.	Greenville, S. C....	.....	...	...	...	...	....	...	....	....	....	....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
J. F Jacobs, Ed.....	Clinton, S. C.....	.....	...	...	...	...	....	...	....	....	....	....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
M. G. Woodworth, Prof.	Clinton, S. C.....	.....	...	...	...	...	....	...	....	....	....	....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
S. P. Fulton, F. M.....	Tokyo, Japan	.....	...	...	...	...	....	...	....	....	....	....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
S. R. Hope, F. M.....	Toyoashi, Japan ..	.....	...	...	...	...	....	...	....	....	....	....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
W. H. Hudson, F. M...	Kashing, China ...	.....	...	...	...	...	....	...	....	....	....	....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
H. M. Smith, F. M.....	Sinchang, China ...	.....	...	...	...	...	....	...	....	....	....	....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
J. F. Preston, F. M....	———, Korea	.....	...	...	...	...	....	...	....	....	....	....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
J. W. Query, W. C.....	Wellford, S. C.....	.....	...	...	...	...	....	...	....	....	....	....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
W. C. Smith, Colp.....	Reidville, S. C.....	.....	...	...	...	...	....	...	....	....	....	....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
A. A. James, P.....	Pacolet, S. C.....	Fairforest, P.	3	2	...	...	21	...	...	....	....	....	$27	$5	$12	$2	$3	$3	.....	...	$5	$104	.....	.....
A. A. James, P.....	Pacolet, S. C.....	Grindall Shoals, P..	...	...	...	...	12	...	...	....	6	65	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1	20	.....	.....
A. A. James, S. S.....	Pacolet, S. C.....	Pacolet, S. S.....	5	...	5	...	23	...	2	....	4	49	19	2	3	1	....	61	....	...	3	45	$10	.....
A. A. James, S. S.....	Pacolet, S. C.....	Trough Shoals, S. S.	3	2	3	8	36	2	1	....	5	28	10	2	5	....	1	3	....	...	3	200	.....	.....
A. A. James, S. S.....	Jonesville, S. C....	Jonesville, S. S....	3	3	...	...	31	...	...	....	3	25	3	3	4	1	1	3	....	...	3	94	.....	.....
A. A. James, P.....	Glenn Spg's, S. C...	Glenn Springs, P...	6	5	9	3	75	...	...	....	8	40	11	3	4	1	4	4	....	...	6	200	15	$11
Wm. P. Jacobs, D.D., P..	Clinton, S. C.....	Clinton 1st, P.....	10	11	20	16	384	7	7	66	31	288	133	10	61	10	12	521	$10	$5	25	700	2765	32
B.G.Clifford, DD, Pre&SS	Union, S. C.....	Mt. Vernon, S. S...	...	3	...	2	14	...	...	....	....	....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....

SYNOD OF S. CAROLINA.—*Pres. Encoree, cont'd. Harmony. Pee Dee.*

MINISTERS, ETC,	POST OFFICES.	CHURCHES.	Elders.	Deacons.	Added on Examination.	Add. on Cer.	Total Communicants.	Adults Bap.	Infants Bap.	Baptized Non-Com.	S. S. Teach.	S. S. Scholars.	Foreign Missions.	Assembly's Home Miss.	Local Home Miss.	Colored Evangelistic.	Min. Relief.	Education.	Publication.	Bible Cause.	Presbyterial.	Pastor's Salaries Paid.	Congregat'l.	Miscellaneous.
W. L. Boggs, T. & S. S..	Greenville, S. C....	Reedy River, S. S...	2	3	3	2	27	2	1	....	7	42	9	1	1	1	....	1	....	....	1	56	....	.....
W. L. Boggs, P.....	Wellford, S. C.....	Wellford, P.	4	3	...	...	36	...	...	8	4	26	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	....	120	140	.....
W. L. Boggs, S. S.....	Tucapau, S. C.....	Tucapau, S. S.....	3	4	...	...	26	...	1	4	...	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	....	60	300	.....
J. S. Watkins, D. D., P.	Spartanburg, S. C..	Spartanburg 1st, P.	8	10	23	49	487	6	5	75	28	217	560	36	140	11	60	600	14	20	30	2100	1522	.....
C. A. B. Jennings, P...	Reidville, S. C.....	Nazareth, P.....	5	5	...	...	65	...	...	17	6	35	20	4	8	3	4	7	...	...	7	300	25	17
C. A. B. Jennings, P...	Reidville, S. C.....	Antioch, P.	5	3	2	...	84	...	2	20	5	35	18	6	10	....	3	7	4	...	6	200	.....	.....
C. A. B. Jennings, P...	Moore, S. C.....	Centre Point, P.....	2	3	1	...	58	...	...	30	3	46	16	6	4	...	3	5	...	...	6	150	.....	.....
C. A. B. Jennings, S. S.	Roebuck, S. C.....	Becca, S. S.....	2	3	4	...	14	4	...	....	4	10	7	....	2	1	1	2	1	...	1	48	1	3
T. B. Craig, P.....	Fountain Inn, S. C..	Fountain Inn, P....	4	3	3	5	63	1	1	12	6	68	58	4	16	1	7	4	2	1	5	160	6	12
W. S. Bean, Prof. & S.S.	Clinton, S. C.....	Duncan's Creek, S.S.	3	2	1	...	33	...	...	11	...	....	1	2	3	1	1	2	1	...	3	86	58	.....
W. S. Bean, S. S.....	Clinton, S. C.....	Rockbridge, S. S...	2	3	...	...	13	...	...	2	5	25	2	2	2	1	1	1	...	....	....	56	.....	.....
W. S. Bean, S. S.....	Goldville, S. C.....	Shady Grove, S. S..	4	2	...	...	32	...	5	...	...	....	4	2	5	1	1	1	...	....	....	48	.....	.....
W. S. Bean, S. S.....	Mountville, S. C....	Mountville, S. S....	2	2	...	...	28	...	...	12	6	20	1	1	2	...	...	...	...	...	3	90	.....	.....
Robert Adams, P.....	Laurens, S. C.....	Laurens 1st, P.*....	5	5	25	5	210	9	2	60	16	120	426	18	50	3	7	23	3	3	18	1200	329	.....
Geo. G. Mayes, P.....	Greenville, S. C....	Greenville 2d, P.*..	6	7	5	6	130	1	...	40	10	61	83	65	46	....	7	40	....	...	15	900	348	.....
J. T. McBryde, D.D., S.S.	Spartanburg, S. C..	Spartanburg 2d, S.S.	2	2	10	14	150	2	...	....	6	75	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	....	127	20	.....
J. T. McBryde, D.D., S.S.	Clifton, S. C.....	Clifton, S. S.....	1	...	4	...	45	...	...	...	...	....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	....	47	.....	.....
Wm. H. White, P.....	Mt. Tabor, S. C....	Mt. Tabor (U.), P.*	3	3	2	...	99	1	...	10	4	20	2	1	3	....	1	....	....	1	3	113	.....	.....
Wm. H. White, P.....	Lockhart, S. C.....	Lockhart, P.	2	2	12	7	98	3	2	17	9	75	3	1	3	1	2	9	....	...	2	234	120	12
Wm. H. White, P.....	Santuc, S. C.....	Cane Creek, P.....	4	2	6	1	28	3	...	15	...	....	1	1	1	....	.....	.....	.....	.....	....	32	.....	.....
Wm. H. White, S. S....	Wilkinsville, S. C..	Salem, S. S.....	4	3	10	2	55	8	2	11	6	60	2	1	7	...	1	10	1	1	4	120	200	4
W. R. Potter, P.....	Gaffney, S. C.....	Limestone, P.	5	8	13	16	107	5	7	30	7	56	16	5	17	2	2	75	1	2	7	840	150	140
T. C. Potter, P.....	Greers, S. C.....	Mt. Tabor (G.), P..	6	3	1	4	55	...	...	....	7	66	$3	$3	....	$2	$2	$2	....	$1	$5	$331	$19	$41
T. C. Potter, P.....	Pelham, S. C.....	Fulton, P.	3	3	...	1	36	...	...	1	7	60	5	.....	$5	....	1	.....	....	2	....	104	.....	.....
B. P. Reid.....	Reidville, S. C.....	.....	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	....	.....	.....	.....
B. P. Reid, P. E.....	Bishop, S. C.....	Mt. Calvary, P. E..	3	4	6	...	112	5	...	3	6	62	20	5	6	3	2	6	2	...	....	150	....	1
B. P. Reid, S. S.....	Enoree, S. C.....	M'tain Shoals, S. S.	...	...	3	5	25	...	...	1	...	...	19	5	7	1	4	10	3	...	2	100	7	.....
B. P. Reid, S. S.....	Ora, S. C.....	Old Fields, S. S....	4	2	2	3	51	1	...	13	7	41	50	4	25	2	2	5	2	3	4	150	.....	.....
B. P. Reid, S. S.....	Woodruff, S. C.....	Woodruff, S. S.....	5	3	4	11	85	3	...	6	11	94	32	6	14	3	4	5	6	1	6	265	36	42
W. W. Ruff, P.....	Fountain Inn, S. C..	Fairview, P.*	7	5	19	1	173	4	4	40	8	124	95	18	8	3	3	10	5	3	15	441	23	.....
W. W. Ruff, P.....	Woodville, S. C.....	Lickville, P.	2	2	6	2	46	1	1	16	5	30	22	2	3	1	....	2	2	...	3	140	.....	.....
A. G. Wardlaw, P.....	Union, S. C.....	Union 1st, P.*.....	4	5	21	21	154	3	7	....	22	225	100	16	51	4	6	210	3	4	12	945	724	160
T. W. Sloan, P.....	Greenville, S. C....	Greenville 1st, P.*..	12	12	4	16	482	2	3	....	31	180	237	90	51	18	13	40	....	11	50	1950	1783	506
Thorn. Jacobs, T.&S. S.	Clinton, S. C.....	Clinton 2d, S. S....	...	...	...	...	12	...	...	...	...	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
J. F. Pharr, P. E.....	Cross Hill, S. C....	Rocky Spring, P. E.	2	2	2	1	101	2	...	....	8	32	5	.....	4	....	.....	.....	1	...	10	67	12	2
J. F. Pharr, P. E.....	Laurens, S. C.....	Todd Mem'l, P. E..	1	3	...	50	31	...	...	....	5	60	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
J. F. Pharr, S. S.....	Huntington, S. C...	Bethany, S. S.....	2	4	...	...	30	...	...	....	3	....	3	2	2	1	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
—34	Sedalia, S. C.....	Enoree, S. S.....	2	...	...	1	16	...	1	.....	...	....	3	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	50	3	.....
	Gray Court, S. C...	Dorroh, V.	2	1	...	1	35	...	...	....	4	35	7	4	5	1	4	7	2	2	2	100	.....	.....
	Carlisle, S. C.....	Carlisle, V.	1	...	...	...	10	...	...	.....	...	....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	2	8	60	.....
	Alma, S. C.....	Friendship, V.	6	2	6	3	55	2	5	9	5	55	2	2	.....	.....	.....	2	....	...	5	150	14	.....
	Greenville, S. C....	Greenville 3d, V....	6	4	...	2	58	...	3	....	9	48	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	5	112	.....	.....
	Cross Hill, S. C....	Liberty Springs, V.*	5	4	4	...	130	...	7	....	10	70	29	8	9	2	3	9	2	...	10	250	.....	30
	Lisbon, S. C.....	Lisbon, V.	3	2	...	...	36	...	2	8	5	18	12	2	2	....	1	3	....	...	3	75	.....	.....
	Mountville, S. C....	Little River, V. ...	1	...	...	...	10	...	...	.....	...	....	1	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	30	.....	.....
	Greenville, S. C....	Macarter, V.	2	2	...	...	44	...	...	....	7	40	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....

	Rapley, S. C.	New Harmony, V.	5	4		1	83		1	17	15	65	23	4	7	1	2	1	3	2	8	200	44	6
	Campobella, S. C.	North Pacolet, V.	2	1			18																	
	Brannon, S. C.	Oakland, V.	2				15																	
	O'Neal, S. C.	O'Neal, V.	2	2			19																	
Licentiate—1.	Whitney, S. C.	Whitney, V.					5																	
W. T. Hudson	Greenville, S. C.																							
		—58																						
Candidates—7.			197	175	239	251	4421	77	72	554	364	2801	$2100	$352	$607	$83	$169	1613	$70	$62	$299	14048	$8734	$1019
4. *Pres. of Harmony.*																								
James McDowell, S. S.	Sumter, S. C.	Midway, S. S.	6	5	15	1	182	2	14	165	10	112	$27	$16	$28	$3	$5	$6	$5	$4	$15	$226	$11	$5
James McDowell, S. S.	Spring Bank, S. C.	Bethel, S. S.	4	5	10		95		5	75	6	40	21	20	21	2	3	5	3	3	11	200	120	3
W. A. Gregg, P.	Bishopville, S. C.	Bishopville, P.	4	4	1	2	108	1	1	40	6	45	87	9	18	2	11	57	12	10	13	365		81
N. W. Edmunds, D.D., P.	Sumter, S. C.	Sumter, P.	11	8	4	14	237		9	160	9	140	406	33	60	6	7	15	17	6	22	1000	1359	93
W. J. McKay, D. D., P.	Maysville, S. C.	Salem (B. R.), P.	3	2	3	2	81		2	32	7	30	94	33	53	10	17	44	9	4	18	720	37	
W. J. McKay, D.D., S.S.	Durant, S. C.	Concord, S. S.	5	3			52			4	10	40	109	25	40	3	19	8	11	2	11	388	29	
W. W. Mills, D. D., P.	Camden, S. C.	Camden, P.	6	6	7	7	134		1	50	12	75	101	27	57	8	5	24	21	23	12	800	206	87
W. W. Mills, D. D., S.S.	Lugoff, S. C.	Hopewell, S. S.	2				14			8	3	25	10								2	35	1	
J. E. Dunlop, S. S.	Georgetown, S. C.	Georgetown, S. S.	2	2	3	5	38				6	40	5	2	6	1	9		3			100		150
J. E. Dunlop, P.	Lane, S. C.	Urion, P.	4	4			70			30	5	47	8	6	18		3	1	5		2	200	2	5
J. E. Stevenson, P.	Mayesville, S. C.	Mayesville, P.	5	4	2	6	107		2	40	6	42	77	3	38	2	2	44	11	3		600	173	106
V. R. Gaston, P.	St. Charles, S. C.	Mt. Zion, P.	6	7	8		150	1	3		14	87	330	53	21	11	16	89	11	9	17	800	166	127
J. C. Bailey, P.	Scarboro, S. C.	Hephzibah, P.	3	4			31			8	5	45	10	5	6	1		1	1	1	4	175		
J. C. Bailey, P.	Mechanicsville, S. C.	Hebron, P.	4	4	4	4	63		3	32	6	25	45	6	8	4	3	5	5	2	6	175	38	20
J. C. Bailey, P.	Providence, S. C.	Tirzah, P.	1	2			50				5	28	27	4	7	1	5	3	2		3	150		5
J. C. Bailey, P.	Wedgefield, S. C.	Wedgefield, P.	2	2	1		31	1		8	6	21	28	9	14	3	3	4	4	3	3	200	23	225
K. McCaskill, S. S.	Greelyville, S. C.	Browington, S. S.	3	3	1		45			25	6	25	10	3	18	2		5	2	3	5	234		5
K. McCaskill, S. S.	Sumter, S. C.	New Harmony, S. S.	3	2	3		37	2		11	6	33	14	1	21	3	1	3	2	1		186		7
K. McCaskill, S. S.	Hernemanns, S. C.	Richmond, S. S.	3	3	2		48		2	28			23	6	19	3	4	6	1	2	6	175	126	3
K. McCaskill. S. S.	Greelyville, S. C.	Corinth, S. S.	2	2		3	41			19			15	4	17	1	1	6	2	5	5	100	3	24
W. W. Sadler, P.	Lynchburg, S. C.	Lynchburg, P.	1				13																	
W. W. Sadler, P.	Lake City, S. C.	Beulah, P.	4	4	2		75	1	2		8	44	8	6	9	3	4	8	2	3	10	130		
W. W. Sadler, P.	Lake City, S. C.	Lake City, P.	3	1			26																	
T. W. Gregg, P.	Manning, S. C.	Manning, P.	6	5	14	4	155		8	65	9	67	80	11	62	4	7	18	4	4	17	750	59	
A. M. McNaull, S. S.	Bethune, S. C.	Pine Tree, S. S.	4	2			79	1			8	40	25	4	29	1		18	1	22	14	275	3	
A. M. McNaull, P.	Ashland, S. C.	Turkey Creek, P.	2				35																	
A. M. McNaull, P.	Smithville, S. C.	New Hope, P.	3	2			22																	
A. M. McNaull, P.	Bethune, S. C.	Bethune, P.	3	2			20	1			7	51	2		7		2	16			3	125	370	
W. S. Porter, P.	Summerton, S. C.	Summerton, P.	1	2	9	7	54	5	1	11	7	30	28	10	21	3	5	18	4	5	5	409	608	
W. S. Porter, P.	Pine Wood, S. C.	Pine Wood, P.	2		5		19	1	2	4	2	18	4	3	8	1		5			2	61	2	27
W. S. Porter, P.	Jordan, S. C.	Jordan, P.	1				10			2			12		11	2			1		2	75		
		Williamsburg, V.	4	3			65																	
		Central, V.	3	3			81		3	3	2	25		4			1					66		
		Indiantown, V.	6	4	1	1	168			70	10	106	110	25	6		7	3	9		10			130
Robert Bradley, W. C.	Sardinia, S. C.																							
S. E. Bishop, W. C.	Cheraw, S. C.																							
—16		—34																						
Candidates—2.			122	100	95	56	2436	16	58	890	181	1281	$1716	$328	$623	$80	$140	$412	$148	115	$218	$8720	$3336	$1103
5. *Pres. of Pee Dee.*																								
E. C. Bailey, P.	Timmonsville, S. C.	Timmonsville, P.*	2	2		4	24		5	17	5	17	$150	$50	$200	$20	$35	$200	$30	$25	$3	$485		$50
E. C. Bailey, S. S.	Mullins, S. C.	Mullins, S. S.	2	1			10		3	12	5	35										100		
E. C. Bailey. S. S.	Latta, S. C.	Latta, S. S.	2	1		1	10			6	5	35			6							89		
H. M. Brearley, S. S.	St. Charles, S. C.	Fairhope, S. S.	4	3		1	45		2	14	7	44	211	11	17	3	12	63	6	4	5	200	$98	72

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MINISTERS, ETC,	POST OFFICES.	CHURCHES.	Elders.	Deacons.	Added on Examination.	Add. on Cer.	Total Communicants.	Adults Bap.	Infants Bap.	Baptized Non-Com.	S. S. Teach.	S. S. Scholars.	Foreign Missions.	Assembly's Home Miss.	Local Home Miss.	Colored Evangelistic.	Min. Relief.	Education.	Publication.	Bible Cause.	Presbyterial.	Pastor's Salaries Paid.	Congregat'l.	Miscellaneous.
Melton Clark, P.	Florence, S. C.	Florence, P.*	2	8	7	7	181	3	3	62	11	115	70	29	65	18	16	202	18	16	22	1000	309	366
H. M. Dixon, P. E.	McColl, S. C.	Red Bluff, P. E.*	3	3	...	2	69	...	7	23	9	60	72	13	27	....	....	24	....	...	7	363	109	.....
H. M. Dixon, P. E.	Maxton, N. C.	Carolina, P. E.	3	4	...	...	104	...	...	25	10	75	7	3	2	....	....	3	....	...	8	215	.....	40
H. M. Dixon, P. E.	Clio, S. C.	Clio, P. E.	2	1	1	4	32	...	...	38	9	48	57	3	4	....	....	89	....	...	2	63	20	28
H. M. Dixon, S. S.	Tatum, S. C.	Tatum, S. S.	2	...	...	...	16	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
F. A. Drennan, P.	Claussen, S. C.	Hopewell, P.*	3	4	3	2	110	3	2	32	5	80	68	6	14	....	3	17	2	...	29	425	79	54
H. C. DuBose, D.D., F.M.	Soochow, China		...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
D. M. Fulton, P.	Darlington, S. C.	Darlington, P.*	7	6	4	5	193	2	3	80	15	125	281	28	118	10	9	148	12	10	25	1200	710	.....
J. P. Marion, Jr., P. E.	Hartsville, S. C.	Hartsville, P. E.	3	4	1	6	30	...	2	....	7	25	10	.....	5	3	5	12	3	5	5	400	67	.....
J. P. Marion, Jr., P. E.	Society Hill, S. C.	Society Hill, P. E.	2	1	1	...	17	...	3	3	3	18	5	6	3	3	6	7	4	4	2	420	166	23
A. H. McArn, P.	Cheraw, S. C.	Cheraw, P.*	7	8	3	19	170	...	4	57	12	86	159	6	54	12	9	337	9	10	18	975	614	111
D. McDuffie, Inf.	Friendville, S. C.		...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bunyan McLeod, P. E.	Bennettsville, S. C.	Bennettsville, P. E.	2	3	...	2	67	...	...	15	6	50	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	900	100	.....
T. H. Newkirk, P.	Marion, S. C.	Marion, P.	2	1	8	4	57	2	...	18	5	50	.....	8	9	.....	.....	8	8	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
T. H. Newkirk, P.	Campbell's B'ge, S.C.	Dumbarton, P.	4	2	5	1	34	1	...	20	5	49	3	4	5	1	1	3	2	...	3	160	14	5
J. G. Richards, P.	Blenheim, S. C.	Blenheim, P.	4	2	...	1	57	...	1	41	6	50	41	8	7	3	3	50	2	...	7	275	19	9
J. G. Richards, P.	Mineral Sp'gs, S. C.	Reedy Creek, P.	3	2	1	...	64	1	...	25	5	55	9	3	11	5	3	18	2	...	7	300	400	.....
J. G. Richards, S. S.	Dunbar, S. C.	Dunbar, S. S.	1	1	...	...	20	...	...	9	...	...	4	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	88	.....	.....
C. E. Robertson, Ev.	Conway, S. C.	Kingston, Ev.	4	2	...	...	26	...	...	13	8	65	2	2	4	....	3	3	3	...	3	129	52	.....
C. E. Robertson, Ev.	Waccomaw, S. C.	Waccomaw, Ev.	3	1	3	...	29	...	2	....	13	45	2	2	2	1	1	1	1	...	...	201	.....	57
C. E. Robertson, Ev.	Bayboro, S. C.	Bayboro, Ev.	4	...	...	...	19	...	...	9	3	15	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	21	.....	.....
J. A. Wilson, P.	Dillon, S. C.	Dillon, P.*	5	4	4	7	53	...	3	18	9	50	7	1	2	....	1	8	5	...	3	180	136	.....
J. A. Wilson, P.	Hamer, S. C.	Kentyre, P.	6	6	...	...	105	...	8	35	6	48	$5	$4	$22	$3	$1	$170	$3	...	$9	$350	$170	.....
J. A. Wilson, P.	Gaddy's, S. C.	Little Pee Dee, P.	2	2	...	...	40	...	...	7	...	...	2	.....	19	....	1	79	2	...	5	150	154	.....
J. A. Wilson, S. S.	Little Rock, S. C.	Little Rock, S. S.	1	1	...	...	11	...	...	3	...	...	2	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	105	.....	$3
J. A. Wilson, S. S.	Beulah, S. C.	Beulah, S. S.	2	1	...	...	17	...	...	6	6	40	4	1	6	....	2	21	....	....	....	75	8	.....
—15	Cheraw, S. C.	Orange Hill, S. S.	2	2	...	...	10	...	...	10	5	40	.....	.....	3	....	....	5	....	....	3	15	5	.....
Candidate—1.		—29	99	76	41	66	1620	12	48	598	180	1320	$1171	$188	$605	$82	$111	1468	$112	$74	$166	$8884	$3230	$818
6. *Pres. of S. Carolina.*																								
Jno. R. Riley, D. D., P.	Greenville, S. C.	Mount Pleasant. P.	2	1	...	...	17	...	...	...	...	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
R. C. Ligon, P.	Newberry, S. C.	Smyrna, P.	4	6	17	1	113	4	9	23	8	68	$49	$6	$15	....	$3	$8	$3	$3	$3	$250	$66	$8
R. C. Ligon, P.	Chappels, S. C.	Morris Chapel, P.	2	3	...	...	34	...	9	....	6	47	7	9	8	$2	2	4	1	...	2	175	.....	4
Hugh McLees, W. C.	Pendleton, S. C.		...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
J. L. Wilson, D. D., P.	Abbeville, S. C.	Abbeville, P.*	6	7	9	4	207	...	8	92	13	212	232	42	98	25	33	339	24	15	28	1200	7	.....
J. G. Henderson, S. S.	Cokesbury, S. C.	Cokesbury, S. S.	1	...	...	...	11	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	.....
J. G. Henderson, S. S.	Greenwood, S. C.	Rock, S. S.	2	2	...	1	10	...	...	...	...	...	3	2	2	1	1	3	1	1	....	40	.....	.....
J. G. Henderson, S. S.	Willington, S. C.	Willington, S. S.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	.....
M. B. Grier, F. M.	Hsuchoufu, China		...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	.....
J. Woodrow, D.D., W.C.	Columbia, S. C.		...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	.....
W. H. Workman, W. C.	Salem, Va.		...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	.....
C. L. Stewart, P.	Pelzer, S. C.	Pelzer, P.	6	8	12	9	114	3	7	43	18	150	.....	.....	8	5	5	9	10	5	10	1150	.....	.....
H. C. Fennel	Lowndesville, S. C.		...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	.....

H. C. Fennel, P.	Monterey, S. C.	Rocky River, P.	2	2	4	2	33	1	2	11			5	1	1		1	1	1		2	170	100	
H. C. Fennel, P.	Storeville, S. C.	Varennes, P.	4	5			70						11		8		2	2	4			150		
H. C. Fennel, P.	Watts, S. C.	Warrenton, P.	4	4			39		1	18			4	2	2	1	7	2	1	1	3	150		
Robt. H. Nall, D. D., P.	Greenwood, S. C.	Greenwood, P.*	4	6	3	8	298		11	73	21	200	89	38	88	24	24	36		24	25	1000	1697	23
J. L. Williamson, P.	Newberry, S. C.	Avelelgh, P.*	4	5	3	4	94		1	25	12	74	92	18	43	5	9	84	5	6	10	1000	635	15
Jas. L. McLin, S. S.	Anderson, S. C.	Midway, S. S.	4	4	5		71	2	1	11	7	30	8	12	28	2	2	11	2		7	125	17	
Jas. L. McLin, S. S.	Anderson, S. C.	Mt. Zion, S. S.	5	4		2	39		2	20	7	42	2	2	8	1	1	3	2		4	136		
Jas. L. McLin, S. S.	Belton, S. C.	Broadway, S. S.	2	1			16																	
R. L. Rogers, P.	Walhalla, S. C.	Walhalla, P.*	4	4		3	61			20	4	26	8	4	7	3	2	3			7	268	61	71
R. L. Rogers, P.	Richland, S. C.	Richland, P.	6	3	3		97		2		9	91	17	4	9	2	3	6	2		9	225	11	7
R. L. Rogers, S. S.	Walhalla, S. C.	Bethel, S. S.	3	3			40		1	16	4	25	1		2			1				47		
R. L. Rogers, S. S.	Seneca, S. C.	Fairview, S. S.	1				9															20		
R. L. Rogers, S. S.	Walhakla, S. C.	Ebenezer, S. S.					13																	
W. S. Hamiter, P.	Seneca, S. C.	Seneca, P.	5	5	1	11	120		2	42	11	66	29	18	22	2	12	47	17	1	8	400	300	
W. S. Hamiter, P.	Townville, S. C.	Townville, P.	6	4	4	6	79	3		21	10	40	8	1	4	2		6	5		6	200	40	
W. S. Hamiter, S. S.	Oakway, S. C.	Oakway, S. S.	2	2			17						2		2		1	1			1	35		
T. P. Burgess, P.	Edgefield, S. C.	Edgefield, P.	2	1			32																	
T. P. Burgess, P.	Trenton, S. C.	Trenton, P.	2	2			20																	
T. P. Burgess, P.	Johnston, S. C.	Johnston, P.	3	1			21			8	2	13	3	1	4			2	4		3			
W. J. Wyly, P.	Honea Path, S. C.	Honea Path, P.	2	2	1	6	35	1	3				8	4	4	1	3	3	2	1	2	95		11
W. J. Wyly, P.	Donalds, S. C.	Greenville, P.	6	6	2	5	150		4	25	7	40	42	5	17	2	4	6	3	6	12	400		6
W. J. Wyly, P.	Donalds, S. C.	Donalds, P.	2	2			17				5	30		1	1	1			1			29	7	
J. C. Shive, P.	Westminster, S. C.	Westminster, P.*	6	4	8	12	73	2	3		10	130	75	5	11	3	8	6		6	6	161	46	175
J. C. Shive, S. S.	Westminster, S. C.	Oak Grove, S. S.	1				10																	
J. C. Shive, S. S.	Tugaloo, S. C.	Retreat, S. S.	3	4			45	1	1	29			5	1	2		1	2			4	37		
S. J. Cartledge, P.	Anderson, S. C.	Anderson, 1 Ch., P.*	9	10	3	12	348	1	5	76	30	180	472	56	142	10	20	215	15	10	33	1200	550	189
Hugh R. Murchison, P.	Anderson, S. C.	Central Pres'n, P.	5	6	2	7	104	1	7	28	10	70	30									1000	5020	
W. F. Strickland, W. C.	Seneca, S. C.																							
R. G. McLees, Ev.	Greenwood, S. C.																							
T. C. Ligon	Townville, S. C.																							
T. C. Ligon, S. S.	Sadlers Creek, S. C.	Roberts, S. S.	5	6	12	3	126	4	1		7	30	6	3	23		2	8	2	2				
T. C. Ligon, S. S.	Deans, S. C.	Deans, S. S.	2			1	12			8	7	20	2	2	2		1	5			2	46		
J. G. Law	Walhalla, S. C.																							
J. G. Law, S. S.	Williamston, S. C.	Williamston, S. S.	2	2			25																	
F. H. Wardlaw, P.	Piedmont, S. C.	Piedmont, P.	3	2	4	9	153	1			15	90	19	2	7	8	3	3	7		10	253	88	6
F. H. Wardlaw, P.	Equality, S. C.	Slabtown, P.	3	3			46																	
J. T. Wade, P.	Easley, S. C.	Easley, P.	6	7	2	9	69	1	5		6	78	10	6	21		5	8	11		5	500		41
J. T. Wade, S. S.	Pickens, S. C.	Pickens, S. S.	2	2			36				6											325		
—26	Abbeville, S. C.	Up'r Long Cane, V.*	8	7			225			75	10	125	32	3	6	1	3	6			20	532	175	
	Antreville, S. C.	Little Mountain, V.	5	3			65			24	5	30	22		5		2	2			7	105		
	Abbeville, S. C.	Lebanon, V.	3	6	7	1	135	1	4	63	4	35	18	5	12	5	4	10		5	2	190	42	
	Willington, S. C.	New Willington, V.	1	3			49																	
	Mt. Carmel, S. C.	Mt. Carmel, V.	2	2			25																	
	Hodges, S. C.	Hodges, V.	4	5	8	2	77		3	18	7	40	10	4	7	2		2			5	166	542	40
Licentiates—2.	Ninety-Six, S. C.	Ninety-Six, V.	2	2			52						67	4	8	2	4	13	2	1		162	6	
J. E. Wallace, P. E.	Iva, S. C.	Good Hope, P. E.*	4	5	1		130						35	3	7	3	2	5	2		7	230	21	100
J. E. Wallace, P. E.	Lowndesville, S. C.	Providence, P. E.	6	5	1	5	77			13	4	25	15	5	6		5	6	2	4	8	220	32	13
L. H. Query, Colp., P.E.	Liberty, S. C.																							
	Coronaca, S. C.	Coronaca, V.	1	2			11		3	7			1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	2	116	5	1
Candidates—3.	Mt. Carmel, S. C.	Hopewell, V.	3	1			51																	
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